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ANOTHER CHAPTER ADDED YESTERDAY

Rose and Webber Say Rosenthal Was Marked for Murder Earlier.

NERVES FAILED THE THUGS

All at Instance of Lieut. Becker—Little Additional Information as to Police Graft Fund—Details Of Proposed Killing

New York, July 31.—Police Lieutenant Charles Becker, head of the "Strong Arm" squad of gambling raiders, who is charged with instigating the murder of Herman Rosenthal, was tonight further implicated in the plot to get rid of the gambler when "Bald Jack" Rose and "Bridgie" Webber added another chapter to their already amazing allegations. They told District Attorney Whitman that Rosenthal was to have been killed at the instigation of Becker ten days before he actually met his fate, and that the plot failed because the underworld thugs selected to do the murder lost their nerve at the last moment.

The District Attorney spent the greater part of the afternoon with Rose and Webber in their cells at the Westside police station and under the promise of leniency which the prosecutor has given them, they talked freely. They gave little additional information regarding the $2,400,000 fund which they alleged illegal resorts paid for police protection in the city every year, but their story of the alleged anxiety of Lieut. Becker because of Gambler Rosenthal's threatened exposures was amplified to the District Attorney and in the prosecutor's opinion he strengthened his evidence against Becker.

"The plot that failed" was to have been brought to its climax at the Garden Restaurant, on 51st street, on Saturday night, July 6th, when Rosenthal and his wife were dining there, according to the account told by Rose to the District Attorney, as spokesman for the two gamblers. With Rosenthal and his wife at the time was Jack Sullivan, the newsboy, now under arrest for alleged complicity in the murder. Rose himself engineered the "job" and brought to the restaurant a "fleet of thugs" who were to do the actual shooting, according to Rose. Two of thet hired assassins were "Gyp, The Blood" and "Lefty" Louis, who are wanted by the police as two of the men who actually shot Rosenthal ten days later in front of the Hotel Metropole. Becker at that time was downtown, Rose said, waiting for the murder plot to be consummated.

"Becker had talked with me every day," Rose said. "He kept saying to me, 'why don't you kill this fellow off,' Rosenthal would have been killed off that night if the bunch hadn't lost their nerve. They got the notion after they reached the restaurant that a detective was onto them. After giving up the assassination we went to 'Bridgie' Webber's place and there we met Becker. He denounced us all up and down."

"You are all a lot of cowards," he said. "I'll have to do it myself."

Rosenthal, it was recalled by the District Attorney, when he heard the story, had but a few days before this made his first complaint against Becker charging that the police lieutenant was partner in his gambling house.

Although Becker, still in the Tombs, has thus far refused to make any statement other than that he is innocent and that his plight is the result of a "frame up" on the part of his enemies in the gambling fraternity. Rose predicted to the District Attorney today that the police lieutenant would eventually break down and tell all he knew.

The District Attorney expressed confidence tonight that if Becker would talk frankly his evidence would open the door to the larger phase of the Rosenthal case, namely, the general extent of the police graft system in which Rose had declared several high police officials are involved. So far Mr. Whitman has obtained little real evidence against the men mentioned by Rose as heads of the "four graft bureaus" through which Rose alleged that about $600,000 each was collected as vice protection money and distribution.

The District Attorney is not relying solely upon Rose's story. He expects to call before the grand jury scores of witnesses who may have knowledge of graft relations between the gamblers and the police.

"Bridgie" Webber told the District Attorney today that his own payment to Becker for police protection of his gambling house was $200 a month but that this rate was a small one compared with the sums levied on larger establishments.

He and Rose both said that in Manhattan alone there were probably a hundred gambling houses paying tribute to the police and that the sum total of $2,400,000 paid annually was a conservative figure. Webber incidentally said today that Becker was present when the money was produced which went to the thugs hired to kill Rosenthal. Shortly after the murder, he said, Becker met Rose and Web-

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PROTECT ITS APPROACHES

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Senate Will ... ort of Foreign Relations ... h Reference to Mon... ctrine —Nation's Position

Washington, July 31.—The United States Senate will be asked to act tomorrow on Senator Lodge's resolution unanimously adopted today by the Foreign Relations Committee, which would make clear to the world this Nation's position regarding encroachment of foreign powers upon the Western continent.

The Lodge resolution submitted to the Senate today affirms that the United States cannot see "without grave concern" any harbor or advantagecus spot in the Western Hemisphere taken over by a foreign government or by a foreign corporation bearing close relation to the government, if such occupancy would threaten the commerce or the safety of the United States. It is the outgrowth of the activity of an American syndicate which sought to sell to a Japanese fishing corporation 4,000,000 acres of land about Magdalena Bay in Southern California.

Leading members of the Foreign Relations Committee tonight declared that this definition of the attitude of the United States is not a direct affirmation of the Monroe Doctrine, a point to be clearly emphasized in the Senate—but is an announcement by the United States that it will protect its "approaches," and prevent the establishment of foreign naval or military bases at threatening points in this hemisphere.

Though the Foreign Relations Committee, upon investigation of the Magdalena Bay project found that the Japanese government had no connection with it, they determined that the Senate should assert its belief that foreign corporations be not allowed to secure sites in the Western Hemisphere that might later be turned over to their home governments for naval or military bases.

Members of the committee point out that the Monroe Doctrine, as laid down by President Monroe in his message to Congress in 1832, was that this Nation would not permit any foreign power to threaten the safety of, or attempt invasion of an independent government in the Western Hemisphere.

In the Magdalena Bay case, it is claimed the United States is following the precedents set by England and other powers, in declaring that foreign nations must not secure military or naval footholds where they can threaten the commerce and safety of this country. This position will be taken in the debate in the Senate by the members of the committee who joined today in recommending the passage of the Lodge resolution.

The fact that American traffic through the Panama canal must pass in front of Magdalena Bay and that the safety of American shipping and the movement of American battleships in time of war would be seriously threatened by any foreign power established there, makes the place one that could not safely be allowed to pass into control of a foreign company, it is claimed.

The resolution was strengthened before submission to the Senate today by an amendment by Senator Hitchcock. Not only does it declare against the possession of these "advantageous points" by corporation wholly foreign; but it covers also American corporations, the control of whose stock may have passed into foreign hands.

State Department officials today declined to discuss the Lodge resolution, assuming the attitude that the department should not interfere with the legislative branch of the government. The department already has told all it knows of the Magdalena Bay affair and the opinion has been general that the Japanese government, at this time at least, does not propose to secure control of the harbor.

This situation, with no real issue in sight, gave rise to the belief that the Lodge resolution is not directed solely at Japan but at other powers whose steamship interests advancing around the world, are securing sites for coaling stations which, in event of war, might easily be converted into naval or military bases. In none of these cases does the government appear as the titular owner of the coaling stations, but many of the European steamship lines are subsidized so that their ships are available as part of the naval force of the government.

Ostensibly called for by the Magdalena Bay affair, it is believed possible that the resolution, if passed might be found to operate against tracts of land on American soil owned by foreign steamship lines. In this event the question as to whether or not its provisions are retro-active would probably result in involved diplomatic negotiations.

HEAT IN NEW ORLEANS.

Three Died There Yesterday—Relief in Afternoon.

New Orleans, July 31.—Three more victims were claimed here today by the heat wave which has held New Orleans in its grip for nearly a week. They were John Parker, a laborer, aged 45; George Ballard, a sawyer, aged 45, and George Rechtein, a florist, aged 42. This afternoon a breeze sprang up, the thermometer dropping to 85 degrees after having attained a maximum of 92 degrees at 1 o'clock.

Take the Children

Fireworks Exhibition Monday night in front of Lumina, 9 P. M. 160 different pieces, including rockets, bombs, mines, electric fountains, aerolite shells, exhibition mines, meteoric showers and water fireworks. Plenty of car service. **

DELAY OPENING OF THE BIG DITCH

Inaction of Congress to Provide Machinery for Its Operation.

BEING SERIOUSLY CONSIDERED

President Taft May Send Special Message—Only Ray of Hope Held Out by Chairman of Committee

Washington, July 31.—Unless Congress takes action to provide for the operation of the Panama canal at the present session, President Taft and Secretary of War Stimson believe that it will be practically impossible for the army engineers to keep their promise and open the big ditch to the ships of the world next year.

According to the information brought to the White House today the prospect of action by Congress on canal legislation at this session is growing dimmer.

Mr. Stimson, who was understood to believe that there is little contention over the proposed administration and operation of the canal but the questions of tolls and of railroad-owned steamships, have stirred up controversy in both Houses and today neither the President nor his Secretary of War was hopeful of settling it. The Panama bill was put aside again in the Senate today, after Senator Brandegee, who is guiding it, stated that adjournment probably would be hastened if it were considered in the Senate while the postoffice bill was in conference. The only ray of comfort that filtered through to the White House was the news that Representative Adamson, of Georgia, chairman of the House Committee on Inter-State Commerce, was considering the introduction of a joint resolution providing for the machinery of administration and operation of the canal. Mr. Adamson was understood to be ready to bring in such a resolution when it becomes apparent that there is no chance of a compromise and the two Houses become deadlocked over the other questions.

President Taft was much concerned today over the prospect of delay in the opening of the canal.

So far the President has refused to write a special message to Congress on the subject of the canal. It was said tonight that he might decide to send in a special message.

C., C. & O. EXTENSION.

Building From Dante to Elkhorn is Going on Rapidly.

Bristol, Va., July 30.—Although but little more than a month has elapsed since the contract was let for the construction of the extension of the Carolina, Clinchfield & Ohio Railway northwestward from Dante to Elkhorn City, Ky., a distance of 42 miles, 1,000 men are now at work in different sections of the mountains, and the contractors are assembling more men and teams and material as rapidly as it can be accomplished. It is the purpose to have 4,000 men at work within the next month or two, and steam shovel and drilling outfits will be hauled into every available portion of the construction. "It will be a powerful piece of road," said J. Norment Powell, chief counsel for the railroad company. For practically the entire distance the road belts the summits of mighty ridges or goes under them. It is a straight shoot through a region that half a century ago would have been deemed impossible for railroad purposes."

The longest tunnel will be 8,000 feet, most of it to be cut through solid stone. There will be 19 tunnels in the 42 miles. Rinehart & Dennis are the contractors. They are sub-letting the work in sections.

PROHIBITS SUNDAY DANCING.

French Mayor Says It Makes Cocks and Hens Nervous.

(Special Cable to Baltimore Sun.)

Paris, July 30.—The mayor of a little commune in the Pyrenees has just issued the following decree:

"Whereas, the young people of the commune are wont to meet and dance every Sunday after mass, and the noise they make frightens the cocks and hens and other animals of the village, and whereas, the result is prejudicial to agriculture, we hereby prohibit dancing within the bounds of the commune during the hours in which domestic animals take their repose."

ARTHUR BRISBANE WEDS.

Miss Phoebe Cary Bride of New York Editor.

New York, July 30.—Arthur Brisbane, editor of the New York Evening Journal, and Miss Phoebe Cary, daughter of Seward Cary, of 46 West 46th street, were married at noon today in Calvary Episcopal church on Fourth avenue by Rev. Theodore Sedgwick. Only a few friends were present. Mr. Brisbane and Miss Cary obtained the marriage license last night.

Mr. Brisbane gave his age as 42 to City Clerk Skully and Miss Cary gave hers as 22. Buffalo is Mr. Brisbane's native city.

A place that is cool and comfortable. Where? The Grand Theatre. Five cents admission day and night. **

AGREE ON TARIFF PROGRAMME

Democrats and Progressive Republicans Form Coalition In Senate Under Simmons' Leadership —Up to President

Washington, July 31.—The formation of a Democratic-Progressive Republican coalition in the Senate and a tentative agreement between House and Senate leaders today resulted in a programme that will provide speedy action on pending tariff measures.

Agreements are in sight on the iron and steel revision bill, the wool revision bill, and the excise tax bill. On the sugar tariff measure an agreement is hardly expected at this session.

The coalition in the Senate was announced at a caucus of the Democratic Senators held today. Senator Simmons, the Democratic leader, proposed the fusion, and the caucus endorsed the plan. After canvassing the sentiment among House Democrats, the Senators framed a programme which, if carried out, will send to the President the iron and steel bill, minus the provision repealing the Canadian reciprocity law, a measure which he vetoed last Summer and the excise tax bill minus the Cummins tariff commission amendment and with a provision repealing all of the Canadian reciprocity law except the pulp wood and print paper section.

On the sugar bill the Democratic-Progressive Republican combination will stand by the Bristow-Lodge bill passed by the Senate and as the House Democrats demand a more radical reduction of the duties than this measure affords, the sugar tariff may remain unsettled when Congress adjourns.

Little trouble is expected in carrying out this programme. The Democrats and Progressives control the Senate and it is not expected that the regular Republican leaders will attempt to interfere with their plans.

The Republican leader believes the President will veto the wool bill because it carries a scheme of ad valorem duties, and the steel and iron bill, because the tariff board has not yet reported on this schedule. If the sugar tariff revision fails in Congress, the President is expected to veto the excise tax law as unnecessary.

This disposition of the tariff bills, if successfully carried out as planned, will materially shorten the time necessary for Congress to complete its work.

LINCOLN-LEE-GRANT

Representative Pou, of North Carolina, Introduces Bill in Congress

Washington, July 31.—The construction of a Lincoln-Lee-Grant memorial in Washington, at an expense of $1,500,000, was proposed in a bill introduced in the House today by Representative Pou, of North Carolina. It would appropriate $250,000 for the erection of a statue of General Robert E. Lee directly opposite the statue now being erected to the memory of ex-President Grant.

An appropriation of $1,000,000 is proposed for the erection of an arch over Pennsylvania avenue, connecting the base of the Grant statue with the base of the Lee statute. The arch would be known as the Lincoln Peace Memorial Arch and every State of the Union would be invited to furnish material to be used in its construction.

The Grant statue is directly west of the capitol in the botonical garden.

OUTLINES

Unless Congress provides at this session the machinery for its operation there may be a delay in opening the Panama canal, according to President Taft and Secretary of War Stimson.

Governor Wilson yesterday told Representative Redfield, of Brooklyn, that he thought the reduction of the tariff should be gradual; he also discussed the trusts and urged scientific training of young farmers as a means of reducing the high cost of living.

In the New York investigation of the Rosenthal case yesterday, Rose and Webber told the district attorney that Rosenthal was to have been murdered ten days before he was actually killed but that the crowd of thugs selected for the purpose at Lieut. Becker's instance lost their nerve.

The State rested in the Grace trial at Atlanta yesterday, and Mrs. Grace will go on the stand today; the prosecution yesterday suceeded in getting admission of the wife's conversation with the husband in the hospital, and two letters which Mrs. Grace is accused of writing to establish her alibi and which were signed by her husband.

A coalition between Democrats and Progressive in the State and an agreement with House leaders yesterday will result in passage of the iron and steel revision bill, wool bill and excise measure; a sugar tariff agreement is hardly expected this session.

The Senate will be asked today upon report of the Foreign Relations Committee to set forth the Nation's position with reference to the establishment of naval or military bases in the Western Hemisphere.

New York markets: Money on call, steady 2 1-2 to 2 7-8 per cent; ruling rate 2 7-8, time loans strong, 60 days 3 1-2 per cent, six months 4 3-4 to 5 per cent; flour steady with fair jobbing trade; wheat spot irregular, No. 2 red 1.09 c.i.f. track and 1.10 f.o.b. afloat; corn spot firm, export 82 1-2 f.o.b. afloat; oats spot easy; spot cotton closed quiet, 13.45; rosin steady, turpentine easy.

NICARAUGA AGAIN TORN WITH STRIFE

Revolution Which Has Smouldered Fitfully Breaks Out Afresh

GENERAL MENA THE LEADER

Advices Received at Washington From Captain of U. S. Gunboat—Fighting Man in Action—Forts Are Seized.

Washington, July 31.—Revolution, which has smouldered fitfully in Nicaragua since Juan Estrada, 18 months ago, unhorsed the Dictator Zelaya and exiled him to Europe, with a few millions of cash, has blazed up again. Though tonight's advices indicate it was a short-lived affair, those soldiers of fortune who count a Central American eruption in with the day's work, found it a double surprise.

Insiders of Latin-American affairs who watch the political chess board from juntas in Washington have been expecting a revolution, but quite a different one. They were taken back today when they heard that Gen. Mena, minister of war to President Diaz, on July 29th, when asked to resign, had seized the forts about Managua, cut the telegraph wires, and also taken possession of Granada, the second city of the Republic, with its garrison of 800 soldiers, and about all the government's ammunition. All this came from Capt. Terhune, of the United States gunboat Annapolis at San Juan Del Sur, the cable station on the Pacific side.

Later today when the State Department found the wires up again and heard from Minister Wetzel, it was learned that Chamorro, the "fighting man of the Republic", had engaged Mena in battle and that a truce had been declared with a programme which was to satisfy everybody, and make Dr. Camilo Barzarena, of Granada, minister of war in Mena's place, and thus compromise the situation.

Another revolution the insiders say has been in preparation for weeks, so they were much taken back to learn that somebody had revolted ahead of them. Those who knew about it in Washington say the guns and "pills" which is revolution for bullets, have been for weeks in a storehouse in an eastern city, waiting to be shipped away in a cargo hold of some Gulf tramp labelled "furniture" or "hardware," as is the way in such enterprises. Estrada himself, who has been living in seclusion in Brooklyn a year, when he heard of Mena's uprising today, declared he would go back at once and fight him. The truce, however, may change all that. It is understood that one faction in Nicaragua, displeased with the proposed loan convention with the United States, was preparing to show some resentment.

Meanwhile, the Annapolis is steaming up to Corinto, which by rail, connects Managua with the Pacific. She has blue jackets aboard, of course. There are Americans in Managua, members of a commission which has been working for months to straighten out the Republic's tangled finances, but the State Department has been assured they will be protected during truce.

New Orleans, July 31.—Confirmation of the revolt of Gen. Luis Mena and his followers in Managua, Nicaragua, Monday was received here today in dispatches to Senor Juan Zavala, consul of Nicaragua. These advices contained the added information that the government forces were under the leadership of Gen. Emilio Chammorra, conservative and personal enemy of Gen. Mena. Reports that Gen. Mena attacked the capital indicate that Campo de Marte LaToma De Tiscapa, the principal fortresses protecting Managua, are held by the government for receipts. As an evidence of the serious condition which prevail in Nicaragua through failure of the corn and bean crops this season, Modesto Sequeira, Governor of the Department of Bluefields, issued an official appeal on July 10th for money and provisions to relieve the destitute inhabitants of several of the larger towns.

NEARING END AT PETTUS

Attack and Defense Maneuvers In Practice Camp—Grand Parade

Anniston, Ala., July 31.—Attack and defense by regiments and tactical rides and walks for officers constituted the day's work at Camp Pettus today. It was announced that the sham battle will be followed by a grand parade through Anniston next Saturday of all the troops in camp including the five regiments of State troops, the 17th Infantry of the 11th Cavalry. Camp Pettus will be deserted next Sunday when all the troops leave the city. The State soldiers will return to their respective States, while the 11th Cavalry will march over land to Fort Oglethorpe, Ga. The 17th Infantry will split, the first battalion going to Columbus, Miss., by train and the other battalion marching overland to Fort McPherson, Georgia.

Hear Mrs. Pearson Sing.

"The Rosary" and "The Red, Red Rose" at Lumina tonight. Time 9:15 and 9:30 P. M. **

Don't stay home and fight the heat, but come to the Grand Theatre and forget it. Five cents admission day and night. **

STATE RESTS IN GRACE TRIAL

Important Admission of Conversation Between Wife and Husband in Hospital and Alibi Letters. Defendant to Testify.

Atlanta, Ga., July 31.—After forging the last link in the chain of circumstances, which it claims connects Mrs. Daisy Grace with the shooting of her husband, the prosecution rested its case late today.

Mrs. Grace is expected to go on the stand at the opening of court tomorrow to tell her own story.

The State played its big card today and won two important points. Two letters, which it was claimed Mrs. Grace wrote to herself over her husband's nickname, "Gene," and mailed as she was leaving for Newnan, to establish an alibi, were offered in evidence and admitted by the court after a desperate battle between opposing counsel lasting more than two hours.

Mrs. Grace's words of greeting to her husband when they met in the hospital, which the defense had fought hard to keep from the jury, also were admitted. George C. Bullard, city detective, was the witness who was permitted to tell of the meeting.

"Who spoke first?" asked Solicitor Dorsey.

"Mrs. Grace."

"What did she say?"

"She said: 'How did this happen, Gene? What have you been telling these people? They tell me you said I shot you'."

"Did she kiss her husband?"

"No, she stood straight up beside the bed."

Judge Roan would not permit the witness to relate to the jury the subsequent conversation between husband and wife. He admitted her first statement because the prosecution claimed that it had proven by witnesses who were with Mrs. Grace from the time she heard the news until the meeting at the hospital, that no one had told her she had been accused.

Although the prosecution attaches great weight to the "alibi letters' and contends that they show that the shooting of Grace was premeditated by his wife, the defense claims that Mrs. Grace has not been connected with them in any way by the evidence —either with having written, mailed, or received them. By some strange trick of fate, Mrs. Grace did not receive the two letters, which were enclosed in one envelope, through the mails. Postmarked Atlanta 4:30 P. M. on the day of the shooting, they reached Newnan after she had returned to Atlanta. They were forwarded to her, but fell into Grace's hands and were turned over to the attorneys by him. The handwriting on the envelope has been identified as that of Grace by witnesses, but none of them were able to identify the handwriting of one of the letters which was scribbled with a pencil.

Grace was suffering from a slight fever today and was too ill to be brought into court.

The full text of the so-called alibi letter follows:

"Tuesday night.

"My Own Darling Wife:

"After I put you on the train I got to talking to an old boyhood friend of mine and got left, which will make me a day late in getting back. I am terribly sorry that it is going to keep me away a day longer. But I shall hurry back, dear girl, and bring you back something real nice. My friend is here at the house with me now, and I have been telling him what a nice, sweet girl you are. I am awfully sorry for what I said and what happened Sunday and I know it will not happen again. I hope you are having a fine time in Newnan and that you will see lots of people. I shall think of you all the time I am away and be as good as I know how. Be a good, sweet girl and think of me lots. With all my love and a billion kisses. "GENE."

The other letter, which the prosecution claims Mrs. Grace wrote on a typewriter weeks before the shooting, read:

"My Dear Wife Daisy:

"After saying good-bye to you at the station today, run into a fellow friend of mine from Charlotte, N. C., and Daisy, believe me, my heart went out to him completely; the chap is dead broke and he had such a pitiful story that I am going to try and get him a job. I am going to have him come out to 29 West 11th and make him take a bath and let him sleep all night with me, and in the morning I will give him a suit of clothes as he is very tall, and think my clothes will fit him if he pulls his suspenders up. Now Daisy, dear, I am one day late getting away, so I will be one day late getting back to Atlanta, so instead of me coming to Newnan, why you bring mother up along to Atlanta with you and I will send you a telegram when you may meet me at the station. I hope you wrote to your mother and told her I will be in Philadelphia and to have your satchel ready packed so I wont have to wait for it. All my love for you and a million kisses from your devoted husband. "GENE."

BIG RECLAMATION PROJECT

Fifteen-Million Dollar Corporation Is Formed in Louisiana

Baton Rouge, La., July 31.—A $15,000,000 corporation for reclamation and drainage purposes and the development of electrical power in Southwest Louisiana has been practically formed, according to representations made to the State Tax Commission here today by Welbourn Bradford, representing New York interests. The the Red river by means of a natural and artificial waterway system throug and artificial waterway system through the southwestern portion of the State to supply irrigation and power for electrical transportation in that section.

GRADUAL REVISION SAYS GOV. WILSON

Democratic Nominee's Views on the Tariff Are Intimated in Conference.

SAW REDFIELD, OF BROOKLYN

Scientific Training of Young Farmers To Reduce Cost of Living—Delaware Young Men's Club Aggressive — Trusts

Seagirt, N. J., July 31.—Revision of the tariff should not be made at one sweep, but should be gradual and thorough, is the opinion of Governor Wilson, announced tonight. The Governor so declared in his first discussion of the question for publication since he wrote his speech of acceptance and after a long conference this afternoon with Representative Redfield of Brooklyn, whom he considers one of the best informed men in the country on the tariff.

"We are all agreed on that," the Governor said when interviewers asked him if his views coincided with those of Mr. Redfield on a gradual reduction of the tariff.

After the conference Mr. Redfield told the reporters that he and the Governor had talked on three topics —the tariff, the trusts and the scientific training of young farmers as a means of lowering the high cost of living. On the tariff, he said, the Governor's views coincided with his own.

"We talked of the need of a general downward revision on almost every schedule in the tariff," Mr. Redfield said. "The revision should be thorough but should be made by degrees. We should make progress slowly in my opinion instead of trying to clear too much at one jump. For instance, if a thirty point reduction is decided upon in any one schedule, it would be better to make two fifteen-point reductions at different times instead of a single reduction. We want to reform the tariff, but we do not want to do more harm than good. Business men have money invested in their plants, machinery and stock and this money cannot be turned over like a department store turns over its goods. A store gets rid of its stock quickly, a manufacturer slowly. The work need not be less than thorough, if done by steps, instead of by a single leap. I think the Governor's views are clear and steady and that he has no thought of acting rashly or hastily. The Governor has his own views as to thoroughness and moderation in dealing with the trusts. We talked considerably about them. It is my opinion that the Governor believes that the government should first establish its own policy so clearly that it can be readily understood instead of being misinterpreted.

"Business men and lawyers and everybody else have been divided as to what the Sherman anti-trust law really means. What the law means should be established clearly then it should be enforced impartially."

The Governor was deeply interested Mr. Redfield said, in scientific training of young men in farming. This, the Governor thought, would mean much in reducing the high cost of living inasmuch as the farmers of America do not produce per acre as much as the farmers of other countries and are producing more, and in some cases less, than they produced per acre years ago.

"If the production per acre be increased," he said, "the farmer makes more money and at the same time the price of his products is lowered."

Governor Wilson's speech of acceptance is not yet quite ready for the printer. The Governor revised it in typewritten form tonight. Tomorrow it is expected it will be put in type.

Among the Governor's visitors today was a delegation of young men, headed by J. E. O'Toole, of Wilmington, president of the First Voters' Club of Delaware.

Mr. O'Toole told the Governor that the membership of his organization consisted of 600 young men, all of whom had yet to cast their first vote, and that they would all vote for Wilson.

NEGRO IS IMPLICATED.

Had Placed Gun in Quarry Where Convict Could Get It.

Danville, Va., July 31.—Roy Sullivan, the convict guard slayer who obtained liberty for 36 hours, only to be caught by a posse and fatally shot yesterday while in jail at Rocky Mount, Va., last night gave the name of the man who placed the gun in the rock quarry for his use. Notified by wire the Chatham officers arrested Robert Womack, the negro named, and this morning this man stated to the officers that a week ago Sullivan offered him $1,000 to lay the gun in the quarry at a specified time and this the negro said he would do. Womack placed the gun in the quarry on Sunday night.

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SPORTING EVENTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Brooklyn, 4; Chicago, 11.
At New York, 7; Cincinnati, 0.
At Philadelphia, 2; St. Louis, 4.
Second: Philadelphia, 6; St. Louis, 0.
At Boston, 6; Pittsburg, 7 (19 innings).

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
New York	67	24	.736
Chicago	57	34	.626
Pittsburg	52	37	.584
Philadelphia	45	43	.511
Cincinnati	45	49	.479
St. Louis	41	55	.427
Brooklyn	35	59	.372
Boston	25	66	.275

Brooklyn, July 31.—The Chicagoans took the first game of the series with Brooklyn today by 11 to 4. They batted Allen out of the box and were in a fair way to treat Curtis likewise when Manager Dahlen forestalled them and substituted Knetzer. The latter was taken out to let Phelps bat for him and Kent was hit hard in the final. Liefield was effective after the second inning.

Chicago .....024 010 013—11 14 2
Brooklyn .....030 000 001— 4 9 2

Leifield and Archer; Allen, Curtis, Knetzer, Kent and Miller; time 2:04; umpires Owen and Brennan.

Philadelphia, July 31.—St. Louis and Philadelphia broke even in a double-header here today. St. Louis won the first game by 4 to 2 and the home team the second by 6 to 0. In the closing contest Brennan held St. Louis down to two hits and gave them only one pass. As two of the base runners were victims in double plays, St. Louis had only 28 men step to the plate in this game.

St. Louis .....210 100 000—4 11 1
Philadelphia ....000 011 000—2 8 2

Steele and Wingo; Seaton, Moore and Killifer; time 2:00; umpires Orth and Klem.

Second game:

St. Louis .....000 000 000—0 2 1
Philadelphia ....001 210 11x—6 12 0

Geyer and Bresnahan; Brennan and Dooin; time 1:30.

New York, July 31.—Ames easily shut out Cincinnati in the first game of the series by a score of 7 to 0. Fromme pitched a good game for Cincinnati, but a pinch hitter batter for him in the eighth and Moore who pitched the eighth for the Reds, yielded five runs.

Cincinnati .....000 000 000—0 6 6
New York .....002 000 05x—7 9 0

Clarke, Fromme and Moore and McLean; Ames and Wilson and Meyers; time 1:53; umpires Rigler and Finneran.

Boston, July 31.—Pittsburg won a 19-inning game from Boston today 7 to 6. It was the longest game ever played on the local grounds and was one of the most interesting. Hess pitched a fine game up to the 18th, but he weakened and the Pirates scored two runs. Boston, however, tallied twice in its half, aided by Robinson's wildness and Devlin's single off Camnitz. Hess was hit even harder in the 19th, Pittsburg getting three runs. Boston came back strong and scored two runs, but could not muster another. O'Toole pitched a good game for Pittsburg until taken out to allow a man to run for him.

Boston—
... 000 002 000 000 000 0022—6 12 3
Pittsburg—
... 100 000 100 000 000 0023—7 14 2

Hess and Rariden; O'Toole, Robinson, Camnitz and Kelly; time 3:52; umpires Johnstone and Eason.

Carolina Association

At Charlotte 1; Greensboro 0.
At Anderson-Spartanburg, rain.
At Winston-Salem 5; Greenville 2.

Virginia League

At Petersburg 5; Richmond 3.
At Portsmouth 2; Roanoke 3.
At Newport News 9; Norfolk 4.

American Association

At Indianapolis 7; St. Paul 6. (11 innings).
Second: Indianapolis 2; St. Paul 7.
At Louisville 4; Kansas City 3.
Second: Louisville 5; Kansas City one.
At Toledo 0; Minneapolis 3.
Second: Toledo 2; Minneapolis 0.
At Columbus 9; Milwaukee 2.

International League

At Buffalo 5; Baltimore 12.
Second: Buffalo 8; Baltimore 8. (Darkness).
At Toronto 2; Newark 7.
Second: Toronto 6; Newark 5.
At Rochester 8; Providence 6.
Second: Rochester 7; Providence six.
At Montreal 12; Jersey City 6.
Second: Montreal 1; Jersey City five.

Southern League

At Chattanooga-Mobile, rain.
At Atlanta-New Orleans, rain.
At Nashville 8; Montgomery 9.
At Memphis 3; Birmingham 2. (11 innings).

Appalachian League

At Cleveland-Bristol, rain.
At Asheville 3; Knoxville 1. (5 innings.)

South Atlantic League

At Albany 4; Columbus 14.
At Columbia 4; Savannah 5.
At Jacksonville 3; Macon 4.
Second: Jacksonville 1; Macon 0.

RACING AT CLEVELAND

Anvil Pulls Down Richest Stake—Enthusiasm Was Great

Cleveland, Ohio, July 31.—The Fasig stake of $2,000 for 2:08 trotters, was the headliner at North Randall, in the grand circuit meeting today. First money was pulled down by Anvil, the bay son of St. Valiant Vincent, with "Pop" Geers, the veteran, in the seat.

Six thousand people cheered as Geers drove Anvil into first place in two straight heats and they cheered again when Geers was called to the judges' stand and presented with the silver trophy cup given the Forest City Live Stock and Fair Company by "Jimmy" McGlade.

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AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Chicago, 3; New York, 12.
At St. Louis, 1; Boston, 4.
At Detroit, 4; Washington, 1.

Standing of the Clubs.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Boston	67	30	.691
Washington	60	37	.619
Philadelphia	55	41	.573
Chicago	48	46	.511
Detroit	48	50	.490
Cleveland	45	52	.464
New York	31	61	.337
St. Louis	29	66	.305

Chicago, July 31.—Errors by Chicago coupled with bunched hits by New York, gave the visitors the opening game of the series here today 12 to 3. Sweeney's batting was a feature.

Chicago .....101 000 001— 3 10 7
New York .....500 021 400—12 16 2

Cicotte, Peters and Kuhn, Block and Mayer; Ford and Sweeney; time 1:50; umpires Egan and Sheridan.

Detroit, July 31.—Washington was defeated in the West for the second time this year by the Tigers. Both Lake and Cashion pitched good ball. Lake hit a home run over left field fence, a feat that only one other player, Pitcher Willett, Lake's teammate, has accomplished.

Washington ....000 001 000—1 8 1
Detroit .....001 010 20x—4 8 0

Cashion and Ainsmith; Lake and Stanage; time 1:58; umpires Hart and Connolly.

St. Louis, July 31.—Boston won the opening game of the series with St. Louis today 4 to 1. Errors figured in the visitors' scoring. A base on balls an out and a single gave the locals their tally. The fielding of Capt. Wagner featured.

Boston .....001 003 000—4 8 0
St. Louis .....001 000 000—1 5 3

Bedient and Carrigan; Adams, E. Brown and Snell and Krichell; time 1:45; umpires O'Brien and Dineen.

CAROLINA ASSOCIATION.

Results Yesterday.

At Charlotte, 1; Greensboro, 0.
At Anderson-Spartanburg (rain).
At Winston-Salem, 5; Greenville, 2.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Anderson	50	30	.625
Charlotte	47	33	.588
Winston-Salem	45	38	.542
Greensboro	37	44	.457
Spartanburg	37	44	.457
Greenville	28	55	.337

JOHNSON SAYS HE'S DONE.

Promoters Won't Give His Price is the Reason.

Chicago, July 30.—Jack Johnson, champion heavyweight pugilist, announced last night that he had fought his last fight.

"The promoters won't give me my price for fighting now, and if I wait a year I'll probably not be in condition to put up a fight worthy of a champion. So it's good-bye to John Arthur Johnson, champion of the world," he said.

Asked if he intended to retire in favor of any fighter, as Jeffries did in the case of Marvin Hart, Johnson said:

"No, let Jeannette, Langford and McVey fight it out. I think McVey will thrash any of them, but that is their troubles, not mine. No white fighter can give any of these men a good battle."

Johnson has saved his money. He said tonight that he was worth $200,000, the greater part of which is well invested. Practically all of this has been made since he fought Tommy Burns in Australia, December 26, 1908.

NEW PITCHING RECORD.

Only One Extra Man Faced Bauswein, of Charlotte Team.

Charlotte, N. C., July 31.—Pitcher Bauswein, of the Charlotte team, Carolina League, today made the season record in allowing only one extra man to face him in the game against Greensboro, which his team won by a score of 1 to 0 on a home-run drive by Second Baseman Agnew.

WANTS TO LOCATE SOUTH.

Zahrzewski, of Buffalo, Inquires About Lands and Names.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 31.—There has been received at the State Department of Agriculture a letter from A. Zakrzewski, 264 Eiller street, Buffalo, N. Y., stating that he expects to locate somewhere in the South this Fall for raising poultry and fruits and asking as to opportunities in North Carolina. Also, he makes the amusing inquiry of what the North Carolina laws as to changing one's name are, "especially in cases where one's name is too long and too strange," Secretary Carr, of the State department, wrote him that he was sure he would find the North Carolina laws favorable and the people of the State more than willing for him to change his name.

The work of remodeling the fronts of two more of the most important stores in Fayetteville street here is under way just now, the steady improvement of store fronts on this street being a matter of very general comment. The new fronts now being installed are the J. D. Ragan Co., house furnishings and toys, and the Thomas Partin Dry Goods Co., also the fine new three-story store building for the Boylan-Pearce Dry Goods Co., is nearing completion and will establish a new and advanced standard for store fronts in Raleigh.

NEGRO PROGRESSIVES MEET.

Two Factions to Hold Conventions in Mississippi.

Jackson, Miss., July 31.—That faction of the Republican Progressives in Mississippi composed largely of negroes, held a State convention here, endorsed the candidacy of Theodore Roosevelt for President, adopted a platform and elected 20 delegates to the Chicago convention.

White men were nominated for Presidential electors in each of the eight districts.

The white faction of the Progressives will meet in Jackson tomorrow and name delegates and electors. The legitimacy of each delegation will be threshed out at Chicago.

Hear Mrs. Pearson Sing.

"The Rosary" and "The Red, Red Rose" at Lumina tonight. Time 9:15 and 9:30 P. M. **

STORMY SESSION OF COUNCIL

(Continued from Page Five.)

"when I was so sick that I could not"—

"Just wait a minute," said Councilman B. C. Moore, "I was going to say that you did not keep the engagements on account of illness." Councilman B. C. Moore then remarked upon the fact that Council had improved MacRae street instead of Eighth street, which he had asked for and which he understood was to be the street improved. He then spoke of the fact that greater benefit would have been derived from the improvement of Eighth street, and also stated that he had asked for second hand materials to be used in his part of the city, but had not gotten any as yet. Councilman P. Q. Moore said that if he would just be patient a few weeks he would get the materials.

Councilman P. Q. Moore criticised Councilman B. C. Moore rather severely for what he termed effort to dodge the responsibility, to which the latter replied that he had already stated that he assumed his portion of the blame for the depleted condition of the street bond money.

Mr. Parsley started to speak further on the matter, but he was stopped by Mayor Smith, who said that he had already been heard four times and that the discussion would have to be closed some time. Councilman Tiencken insisted that Mr. Parsley be heard as he wanted to get information from him as to the best methods of running the financial department, on which matter he was speaking when the discussion between Councilmen B. C. Moore and P. Q. Moore arose. Mr. Parsley's parting remark was that if the Council expended the sewerage bond issue money as they had spent th street money, then the city would soon be bankrupt.

Mr. B. G. Empie, Esq., was present to inquire what action had been taken by Council with regard to a resolution of the County Board of Health ordering that all dogs running at large be muzzled. He was informed by Mayor Simth that the city had not as yet seen fit to enforce such a measure, and until he issues a proclamation to this effect as provided by city ordinance that no dogs running at large without muzzles would be killed, unless they show symptoms of having rabies.

Mr. W. B. Ennett, the janitor, was granted a vacation of two or three weeks. Capt. Thos. D. Meares, city clerk and treasurer, was also given a leave of absence of two weeks and he will leave tonight to attend the meeting of the Supreme Lodge of Knights of Pythias, of which he is Master of Exchequer. The meeting will be held at Denver.

Upon motion of Councilman Tiencken Council rescinded its action of last meeting in making a reduction of 58 cents in a bill for street paving against Mrs. Thos. Strange, and it was ordered that she be charged 94 cents a square yard, the price said to have been agreed upon before the work was done.

One of the liveliest sessions of the Council then came to an end.

GOOD ROADS MEET

Greatest Session of Association Yet Held Promised In Charlotte

Charlotte, N. C., July 31.—With probably more than 1,000 good roads advocates, road experts and prominent speakers present, the annual convention of the North Carolina Good Roads Association will convene in Charlotte tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock for sessions to cover two days. In attendance, in the scope of its programme, in interest and in possibilities of achievements and permanent good the convention will far surpass any ever held in North Carolina or probably in the South. Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, secretary of the association and the best known road expert in the Southern States, has been devoting his energies and best thought to the programme and to the promotion of the meeting for the past several weeks and his work has been tremendously effective.

Presdent C. O. Kuester, of the Greater Charlotte Club, has named a large committee to meet the guests and especially those who make the trip by auto to the city for the big convention, and everything is now in readiness for the occasion. The committee will look after the entertainment of the delegates generally. Mr. C. C. Hook is chairman of the reception committee.

Governor W. W. Kitchin will be here to deliver the address of welcome. Dr. J. A. Holmes, who is now Chief of the Bureau of Mines in Washington, is also on the programme and will have something of interest to say to the good roads people. He is a man who has won for himself a reputation that is nationwide as an expert authority on good roads and allied topics and his presence will be a distinct feature of the meeting.

There will be at least four parties of autoists who will make the trip through the country, coming from practically every quarter of the compass, including Raleigh and Smithfield, Asheville, Gastonia and Monroe, several arriving this evening. About 200 cars are expected and they will be parked on West Trade and Church streets.

The headquarters of the good roads meeting will be at the Selwyn Hotel and with the expected attendance present the audience that will hear each speaker will be a very large one. The sessions of the convention will be held at the Auditorium.

TAFT LAUDS INDIAN ATHLETE

Sends Letter of Congratulation to Thorpe, the Olympic Winner.

Washington, July 31.—President Taft yesterday made public a letter he sent to James Thorpe, the Carlisle Indian School student, who was victorious in the Olympic games at Stockholm. The President said:

"I have much pleasure in congratulating you on account of your noteworthy victory at the Olympic games in Stockholm. Your performance was one of which you may well be proud. You have set a high standard of physical development which is only attained by right living and right thinking, and your victory will serve as an incentive to all to improve those qualities which characterize the best type of American citizen.

"It is my earnest wish that the future will bring you success in your chosen field of endeavor."

STREET WORK PAST YEAR

Report Submitted to Council Yesterday by Councilman P. Q. Moore Showing What Had Been Done to June 1st

Councilman Parker Quince Moore in charge of the Department of Streets and Wharves, yesterday morning submitted to the City Council his annual report for the fiscal year ending May 31st, 1912. The report, which was received and ordered placed on file, was as follows:

"Wilmington, N. C., July 31, 1912.
"To the Council:—I beg to transmit herewith the report of the city engineer for the fiscal year ending May 31st, 1912, in which may be found a full report of the contracts existing at the close of the year which will absorb fully the balance of the funds derived from the bonds sold for street improvement and during the present year our efforts will be mostly confined to the keeping of the street work as we now have it.

"I believe the funds voted for construction have been expended with as much economy as possible. Doubtless there is much left undone that it would have been desirable to accomplish, but as practically nothing had been spent on the streets for several years we were met in the outset with a very large amount of reconstruction.

"What work has been done has been of the best material and under the best workmanship and is permanent, necessarily also in laying permanent streets a large cost has been involved for permanent drainage necessary for the disposal of surface water.

"Some work has been done not originally contemplated but brought about by what seemed to be advantageous offers to the city by property owners, this being so in regard to some of the streets in the eastern section of the city and with regard to the street leading to the park donated to the city at the southern end.

"I desire to express my approval and praise of the work of our city engineer, Mr. F. F. Pillet. He has been careful as to construction and thorough in all of his work and his accurate knowledge and skill has been of the utmost value to us economically. His work has been well done.

"A very large amount of work has been done in laying of the new streets and in the reconstruction of the old ones, as well as in repair work by the city laborers under the direction of the late Capt. R. O. Grant, superintendent of streets.

"It is not easy to clearly define all of the work that has been done by him as he has had command of the street cleaning force as well as of the street construction force and his work has at times intermingled. The work, however, has been well and economically done. The city has sustained a heavy loss in the death of Capt. Grant. His energy and zeal made him a most valuable officer.

"The work of the street cleaning force has been efficient and reasonably prompt in service. The labors of this department have been largely increased both by the continued and energetic efforts of the health department in the direction of sanitation, and also by the extension of the permanent street work, requiring more frequent sweeping and removal of trash.

"In the street lighting department, additional lamps have been placed from time to time as seemed most necesary, but the expenses of this department have been kept within its former compass by the recent decreased charges per annum for service.

"I wish to express approval of the labors and work of the men in this department. The interest of our men in their duties may be best illustrated by reference to the two heavy and very unusual snow storms which visited us last Winter, when, despite the fact that we are unaccustomed to such severity of weather, they cheerfully turned out, swept the sidewalks in the business section of the city, and were engaged in hauling fuel to the poor and to those unable to secure teams otherwise.

"I desire to thank the members of the Council for their uniform courtesy and while the duties of this office involving the expenditure of so large a sum of money have been very onerous and exacting, I have had the support of my associates and trust that our work will meet with the approval of our citizens in general.

"Yours very truly,
"PARKER QUINCE MOORE,
"Councilman."

TURKEY READY FOR PEACE

Will Negotiate If Its Dignity and Rights Are Protected

Constantinople, July 30.—The Turkish government is willing to enter into peace negotiations with Italy if they are conducted in a manner compatible with Turkey's honor and dignity and her rights are adequately safeguarded. This was announced in the Chamber of Deputies here today during the reading of the new ministerial programme.

The government censured the interference of the military in politics, and declared it proposed to take vigorous measures to counteract it. Following the reading of the government's announcement there was a boisterous discussion in the Chamber. The grand vizier declared that the government would resign unless parliament gave its sanction to the ministerial programme.

The Chamber after consideration of the ministerial programme voted confidence in the government, 113 to 45.

Great crowds gathered outside the parliamentary buildings during the sitting, and a large force of troops was employed to keep order.

KIDNAPPING IN VIRGINIA

Son of Circuit Court Clerk Recovered From Cave—Arrests

Bristol, Va., July 31.—A special from Duffield, Va., says that eight-year-old son of Circuit Court Clerk J. B. Richmond, of Scott county, has just been recovered from a cave, where he was hidden by kidnappers. The child was kidnapped near the Richmond home by two men, who took him to the cave, let him down by a rope and fled after leaving a quantity of food.

Two men have been arrested and identified by the boy as the kidnappers but their names have not yet been disclosed.

BROWN VETOES BILL

Regards Georgia's Prohibition Amendment Too Drastic—Measure

Atlanta, Ga., July 31. — Governor Joseph M. Brown today vetoed the Alexander-Tippens bill which prohibited the sale in this State of "near-beer" and limited the percentage of alcohol as an ingredient that many patent medicines would have been excluded from sale.

In his veto message to the Legislature the Governor declared that the measure was entirely too drastic and took the lawmakers to task for trying to "play politics." He said if the people enforced the present prohibition law it would seem sufficient.

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Ar. 1:40 P. M. No. 53	Sanford	Lv. 3:30 P. M. No. 52
Lv. 2:18 P. M.	Sanford	Ar. 3:20 P. M.
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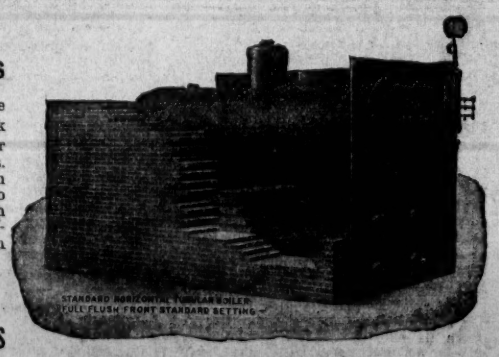

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AFFAIRS AT STATE CAPITAL

New Demurrage Rules—Charters and Changes of Name—Marriage Postponed—Colored Girl Injured—Other News

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 31.—Under amendments to the car demurrage rules that the Corporation Commission has just adopted, the distinction between different classes of cars is eliminated and shippers whose business makes it worth while can readily take advantage of "average agreement" contracts with the railroad companies whereby they can have credit for cars that they unload a day or more ahead of the demurrage limit to offset those cars on which the demurrage is incurred.

There has to be a special prescribed contract entered into for which there are special forms. Now box cars and flat cars are classed alike and demurrage credits offset each other without regard to classes of cars involved. It is stated at the Corporation Commission offices that there are large numbers of shippers who can take advantage of this "average agreement" who have never done so and who probably are not aware that they can get such an advantage.

Charters were issued today as follows:

Charlotte Dairy Co., Charlotte, capital $25,000 authorized and $500 subscribed by J. A. Berryhill, D. H. Watkins, H. D. Kirkpatrick, A. C. Blanton, G. V. Keller.

The Pastime Social Club, Concord, capital $2,000 by W. M. Smith, W. A. Joyner, D. H. Hamilton and others for building club house, operating cafe and other features.

The Bank of Denton, Davidson county, increases capital from $7,500 to $10,000, B. I. Harrison, president, and W. E. Boone, cashier.

The Perry-Owen Shoe Co., of Newbern, changes name to the Standard Shoe Co., E. M. Dockham is president.

The Newlin-Brooks Dry Goods Co., High Point, changes name to the George T. Wood Dry Goods Co., W. C. Jones is president and Geo. T. Wood is secretary.

At a conference today between the Corporation Commission the officers of the Yadkin River Power Co., a subsidiary of the Carolina Power & Light Co., of Raleigh, and the tax assessors in Anson, Richmond, Moore, Lee, Chatham, Wake, Harnett and Cumberland counties, there was an agreement reached for a uniform rate of tax assessment on the long distance transmission line of the company running through these counties in distributing the electric current from the great Blewitt Falls generating plant. Different county assessors have fixed rates of their own that were in some instances deemed too high. The uniform rate is expected to simplify matters greatly.

Dr. F. L. Koonce and Miss Bessie Mae Denton, of this city, were to have been united in marriage this morning at 11 o'clock, but the death of his brother, Mr. J. H. Koonce, at Richlands, of typhoid fever, necessitated postponement of the marriage to some date not yet announced. Dr. Koonce left last evening for Richlands.

E. C. Beddingfield, former Corporation Commissioner, is being urged for membership on the Wake county Board of Commissioners. He is one of the most successful farmers in the county.

Owen S. Butler was returned to the State Hospital for the Insane here last night. He escaped Monday. He came from Sampson county, is regarded as dangerous and has a mania for suicide.

Arthur Hill, a young negro employed by Lane Bros., contractors, in grading the Raleigh, Charlotte & Southern, near Fuquay Springs, had his foot ground off under a dinkey engine yesterday and was brought to a hospital here for amputation and treatment. He went to sleep with one foot on the railroad track.

Mildred Otey, daughter of the well-known colored barber here, is recovering from very serious injuries she sustained late last night in jumping from a fast moving car on Hillsboro street. She is 16 years old. There was a trolley party and the car was backfiring repeatedly at the time with sharp loud reports. The girl became so frightened that she jumped off the car before anyone could restrain her. She fell on the parallel track sustaining a severe shock and many bruises, internal injuries being also feared by Dr. A. W. Goodwin. She was carried into Dr. Goodwin's residence for first aid. Her father claims that there was no guard rail up on the inner side of the car where she fell and that the electric disturbance that frightened everybody on the car was due to an incompetent or inexperienced motorman. He insists that had the guard rail been down as required the girl could not have jumped off before someone would have restrained her.

TRANSFER CLERK ARRESTED.

Had Been Tampering With Mails at Pinners Point, Va.

Washington, July 30.—Charles T. Creekmore, a mail messenger, who carries the mail to and from the railroad station and the postoffice at Pinners, Va., just opposite Norfolk, has been arrested by postoffice inspectors charged with rifling the mails.

For some time, the inspectors say, complaints have been received of the rifling of money letters, and investigation narrowed suspicion down to Creekmore. Saturday, it is claimed, he was followed. He was seen to go to an old box car, cut open the mail bag, take out the letters, open and remove their contents and then reseal the envelopes with paste. Afterward he replaced the envelopes, in the mail bag, sewed it up where he had opened it, and then delivered it in accordance with its label. It was found, the inspectors claim, that he carried a paste pot and brush, scissors and a knife and needle and thread with which he carried on his operation.

Take the Children

Fireworks Exhibition Monday night in front of Lumina, 9 P. M. 160 different pieces, including rockets, bombs, mines, electric fountains, aerolite shells, exhibition mines, meteoric showers and water fireworks. Plenty of car service. **

..Theatrical..

The Grand Theatre very pertinently inquires, "Why stay at home and fight the heat?" The answer is there is no reason. The Grand offers a delightfully cool auditorium, music by its orchestra and three great films of the "movers," all for the small sum of five cents or half a dime.

The five cents casually dropped over the counter for a glass of soda or for your favorite cigar will ensure you at this theatre an hour of unalloyed comfort and amusement. There is no high cost of living in the prices at the Grand. Today there will be the usual three fine pictures, but if anything those for today are just a little better than usual. "The Miller and Burgundy," by Selig, promises the Grand patron today a delightful drama of the modern French peasantry. The scenes are laid in the picturesque little province of Burgundy, in Eastern France. An old miller and his pretty daughter form the dramatic personage and about them is wound a sweet and humanly interesting story that will delight everyone.

"For the Sake of the Papoose" is a Pathe. As the title indicates, it is an Indian story and in it will be told the beautiful story of a mother's love. However, savage the breast, there still beats in the mother's heart an abiding love for its young and the story today will be found entrancingly beautiful. In addition to these two there will be a third film and all in all the bill will be the best in some days.

At The Bijou

The day will be a great one in the history of the new Bijou and one of the greatest in moving picturedom so far as Wilmington amusement lovers are concerned. Today, as only the Bijou can do it, will be presented the brilliant 3-reel triumph, "The Landing of Columbus," and each presentation, afternoon or night, will be made with special effects and according to the up-to-date methods of the Bijou's expert moving picture operators. The title of the film alone tells its importance, and its historical value, to the young especially, can readily be imagined. The film, or films, because there are three large reels, come as the result of years of preparation and creation on the part of the Selig Company and at an expense of $50,000. It is a mammoth production in which 350 people take part and it is as near what actually transpired as it was possible to make such. The film shows the life of Columbus before he sailed to put foot on the shore of the new world, the voyage of his ships, the landing among the Indians, etc. The costumes and the character of the ships are correct, and the scenes were absolutely taken in Portugal, Spain and the United States and on the ocean. It is a wonderfully spectacular film and one that will dazzle the vision, as well as excite the mind. It is a really mammoth production and no amusement lover can afford to miss this rare and brilliant treat at the Bijou today.

It is noteworthy that even though much extra expense is incurred by the Bijou in order to give this monster show, particularly in the manner in which it will be presented, the price of admission has not been advanced, but remains at 5 cents, afternoon and night.

MORE "BEER" SEIZED

Sheriff McGeachy ,of Cumberland, Gets Busy Again

(Fayetteville Observer, 31st.)

Sheriff McGeachy again got on the path of stern duty late yesterday afternoon, and went in quest of some more of the intoxicating stuff which causes men to spend money for which they have other uses, to do things they ought not to do, and to leave undone things which they ought to do. He made a couple of hauls, too, and they were not "water hauls" either, but those of "alleged" beer.

He took eight barrels from the establishment of T. O. Martin on upper Hay street, next door to Napier's Cafe, while from a cotton warehouse on Franklin street he got ten more barrels. We understand that Mr. Martin admitted that he owns both lots. He was put under a bond of $300 for his appearance before Magistrate C. P. Overby Thursday morning, when he will have a preliminary hearing both as to this charge and the one now pending against him.

The total number of barrels seized by the sheriff up to this time is about 103, we believe. It is said that 190 bottles are packed in a barrel, and that each barrel contains a pint of beer, or "alleged" beer. So the sheriff now has 12,360 pints, equal to 6,180 quarts, equal to 1,545 gallons of "beer" on hand. What is to be done with so much "no tax?" In other words, whose duty will it be to drink it?

SAD DEATH OF LADY.

Miss Maggie F. Cromartie Passes Away in Fayetteville Hospital.

Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer says:

"A very sad death occurred in Highsmith Hospital yesterday afternoon when Miss Maggie F. Cromartie, of Bladen county, passed away. She had been complaining of feeling unwell for several days, but told no one of her true condition, until Dr. Cromartie, of Garland, was called in and at once said that he could do nothing, and if there was any hope at all it was in an operation.

"She was brought to Highsmith Hospital yesterday, reaching here on the noon train, but Dr. Highsmith pronounced the case hopeless, as the trouble, an intestinal one, had been too long neglected. However, an operation was resorted to, from which she never rallied.

Miss Cromartie was the daughter of the late Patrick Cromartie, a leading citizen of Bladen. She is survived by her mother, one brother, Mr. Sidney Cromartie, of Bladen, and by a sister, Mrs. Fletcher Parker, of this city.

"The remains were taken to her home in Bladen on the 5 o'clock Wilmington train yesterday afternoon."

The Trials of a Traveler.

"I am a traveling salesman," writes E. E. Youngs, E. Berkshire, Vt., "and was often troubled with constipation and indigestion till I began to use Dr. King's New Life Pills, which I have found an excellent remedy." For all stomach, liver or kidney troubles they are unequaled. Only 25 cents at R. R. Bellamy.

PROMINENT CITIZEN JAILED

W. R. Mc Cullen, of Sampson, Charged With Being Accessory to Murder—Coast Line Agricultural Train at Clinton

(Special Star Telegram.)

Clinton, N. C., July 31.—W. R. McCullen, a well-known farmer and country merchant doing business at Keener, ten miles north of here, was brought here today and confined in jail charged with being accessory to the murder of John Simmons, a white farmer, who was shot and killed from ambush last night while coming along the road from church near his home.

James McCullen, son of W. R. McCullen, is charged with firing the gun which killed Simmons and has fled to parts unknown. The trouble grew out of the killing of a dog belonging to the McCullens, who charged Simmons with making way with their dog. The murdered man and those charged with his death have been well regarded and the crime is surprising as well as shocking. A preliminary hearing will be had next Saturday when the details will come out.

The North Carolina Agricultural train operated by the Atlantic Coast Line, under the direction of the Agricultural and Mechanical College, of Raleigh, and the Agricultural Department of the United States, was here today and gave exhibitions and demonstrations to more than 1,000 representative farmers. The college was represented by I. O. Schaub; the Department of Agriculture by Mr. McLean and the Coast Line by its industrial agent, E. N. Clark. The live stock exhibit was in charge of Prof. J. C. McNutt, of the A. & M. College, and the drainage exhibition was in charge of Prof. Sherwin. Fine draft horses, improved varieties of dairy and beef cattle and fine hogs were shown as well as the latest models in agricultural machinery and drainage supplies. The exhibit was a success and our community appreciates the part each interest took in furnishing it. New ideas were presented that will in time bear fruit.

MAXTON'S THIRD RAILROAD

Fine Section of Country Opened Up—Sale of Lots

Maxton, July 31.—Maxton's third railroad ran its first train into the town yesterday morning at 10. This is the Maxton, Alma & Southbound, a line of about 20 miles from Maxton to Rowland, traversing a farming section surpassed by none in the State and a section whose people are of the best. The occasion was an auction sale of town lots in the village of Bracey which is one of the five stations between Maxton and Rowland. Today another excursion will be run to Raemon, the station formerly known as Midway, where town lots will also be sold, both business and residence lots. The sale yesterday was a success, about 30 lots being sold, which means that buildings will soon be erected and a community started in earnest.

Major A. J. McKinnon, president of the new road, is very enthusiastic in speaking of the future of this line, which really promises to be a most profitable one, serving as it does a thrifty class of farmers, and with terminals at such good towns as Rowland and Maxton. As a matter of fact, the line lacks only a few days of being completed to Rowland at this time, the delay having been due to lack of rails, although the grading is completed and the ties laid. For a while the new line will use the Seaboard track from Maxton to Alma, at which latter point it branches out to the southeast. The roadbed is already in fine shape as was testified to by those taking in the excursion today.

The people on the route are highly pleased at having a railroad through their section, and will make it a paying institution for the investors from the very start, and of course, it will be most profitable to the farmers themselves. The completion of this road gives Robeson county 10 lines of railroad, three of which are the Atlantic Coast Line (main line and two branches); Seaboard Air Line, Raleigh & Charleston, Virginia & Carolina Southern (main line and one branch), Aberdeen & Rockfish, Maxton, Alma & Southbound and Red Springs & Bowmore. These do not include several lumber roads.

A Kansas postmaster was arrested this week for embezzling $1,600. The only thing postmasters can steal with impunity is a national convention.—Kansas City Star.

Hear Mrs. Pearson Sing.

"The Rosary" and "The Red, Red Rose" at Lumina tonight. Time 9:15 and 9:30 P. M. **

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EXECUTRIX' NOTICE.

Having qualified as Executrix of the last will and testament of Edwin Borden, deceased, I hereby notify all persons having claims against said testator to present the same to me, duly verified, on or before July 11th, 1913, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This July 10th, 1912.

MARY O. BORDEN,
Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Edwin Borden.
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ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington, Effective May 26th, 1912. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90, ! 3:40 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 13:35 P. M. and Richmond 14:10 P. M.	No. 91, a 1:00 A. M.
No. 51, 5:35 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars Between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50, *12:30 A. M.
No. 64, ! 5:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 65, ! 6:25 P. M.
No. 48, * 8:30 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49, * 6:15 P. M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford Through Pullman Parlor Car Service between Wilmington and Greensboro.	No. 52, * 8:05 P. M.
N. 55, * 3:15 P. M.	Chadourn, Conway (!), Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.	No. 54, 1:40 P. M.
No. 62, 3:25 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 63, 12:50 P.M.
No. 59, ! 6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate Stations.	No. 60, !10:15 A. M.
No. 42, * 7:00 P. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, *10:00 A. M.
No. 57 * 7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate Stations.	No. 58, * 8:30 A. M.

* Daily. ! Daily except Sunday. a Daily except Monday.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160.

W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager. T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent.
WILMINGTON, N. C.

To the Beach

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect June 1st, 1912.

WEEK DAYS:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
6:30 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P.M. 12:00 P.M. * 6:10 P.M.	6:05 A. M. 7:15 A. M. and every half hour until 11:45 P.M.

* Business Men's Express daily except Saturday and Sunday stops only at Wrightsville and stations on the Beach.

FREIGHT:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
6:00 A.M.	7:15 A.M.
10:00 A.M.	12:15 P.M.
4:00 P.M.	6:15 P.M.
7:00 P.M.	8:15 P.M.

Freight depot open daily except Sunday from 8:00 A. M. until 1:00 P. M., and from 2:00 P. M. until 7:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
7:00 A.M.	7:15 A.M.
8:30 A.M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P.M. 12:00 P.M.	7:45 A.M. 9:15 A.M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:45 P.M.

FREIGHT:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
11:00 A.M.	12:15 P.M.

Freight depot open Sundays from 10:00 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

Express trains stop only at Wrightsville and stations on the Beach.

TELEPHONE 667

for information about train movements and all matters connected with transportation department.

W. B. & S. R. R.

Schedule in Effect Thursday, Aug. 1st 1912.

P. M.		A. M.
*3:15 Lv.	Wilmington.	Ar. 8:15
4:05 "	Town Creek	" 7:20
4:20 "	Bolivia	" 7:05
4:55 Ar.	Southport	Lv. 6:30

* Daily, except Sunday.

Special train operated Sunday only, leaving Southport, 6:30 A. M., arriving Wilmington, 8:15 A. M. Returning, leave Wilmington, 7:30 P. M., arriving Southport, 9:00 P. M.

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By virtue of a Power of Sale, contained in a certain mortgage deed executed by William F. Brittain and wife, Katie E. Brittain, to the Tidewater Trust Company, and registered in Book 64, page 395, et seq. of the records of New Hanover County, the undersigned attorneys for said mortgagee will on Monday, the 19th of August, 1912, at 12 o'clock M., at the Court House door, in the city of Wilmington, sell by public auction for cash, the mortgaged premises which are situated in the State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover and City of Wilmington, and a part of Block 63, according to the official plan of said city, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning in the intersection of the western line of Sixth street with the northern line of Wooster street with a front on Sixth street of sixty-six (66) feet, and extending westwardly along the said line of Wooster street ninety-six (96) feet.

W. B. McKOY,
jy13toau20 Attorney for Mortgagee.

J. F. LEITNER
ARCHITECT
37-23-29 Carroll Building.

SEABOARD Air Line Railway SCHEDULE

EFFECTIVE APRIL 9th, 1912.

TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON, N. C.

No. 45—5 A. M. arrive Hamlet, 9:05 A. M. Leave Hamlet 9:25 A. M.; arrive Charlotte, 12:10 P. M. Connects at Hamlet with train 66, at 9:05 A. M. with through train for Raleigh, Norfolk, Richmond and points North. At Monroe, with train 53 for Atlanta and points South. Daily sleeper for Charlotte. Open for occupancy at 10 P. M.

No. 39—3:25 P. M.; arrive Hamlet 7:40 P. M.; leave Hamlet 8 P. M.; arrive Charlotte, 11 P. M. Connects at Hamlet with through trains for Atlanta, Birmingham, Columbia, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa. Also Norfolk, Richmond and all points north. Pullman chair car between Wilmington and Charlotte, and sleeper between Wilmington and Atlanta daily. Through to Birmingham Sundays and Wednesdays.

TRAINS ARRIVE WILMINGTON, N. C.

No. 40—12:30 P. M., from Charlotte and intermediate points.

No. 44—12:10 A. M., from Charlotte and intermediate points.

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Steamship "Navahoe," Sat., July 27, 1912

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SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Leave for Southport, 9 A. M. and 2:30 P. M.; Carolina Beach, 9 A. M., 2:30 and 7:30 P. M. Returning, leave Carolina Beach, 12:45, 6 and 8:30 P. M.

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Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 p.m.	2:30 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	6:55 p.m.
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p.m.	7:30 a.m.
Ar. St. Louis	6:33 p.m.	8:30 a.m.

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COMMUNICATIONS, unless they contain important news, or discuss briefly and properly subjects of real interest, are not wanted; and if acceptable in every other way, they will invariably be rejected unless the real name of the author accompanies the same, not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith.

Thursday, August 1, 1912.

Have you seen the latest record of the dictagraph?

A man whose reputation is under a cloud is in a position where he will sooner or later get soaked.

The Democratic party believes in tariff reform, while the Bull Moose party is committed to Taft reform.

A politician who wires in and wires out does not necessarily lead a crooked career. He may be an unsophisticated demagogue.

School gardening and farming has been a success wherever it has been tried. There is something interesting as well as practical in it.

The press is telling about a New York Summer girl who wears hosiery made of gold. It is most likely that the girl's socks are worth more than she is as a real asset.

As further evidence of the fact that the Taft administration is a Jonah, the successor of Dr. Wiley is a chemist named Dr. Dolittle. Probably that is why he was picked out for the job.

The Florida papers are always praising Florida girls. It would be a pity for North Carolina girls to go to Florida and be given all the space that has heretofore been given to those Florida sisters.

A split in the Roosevelt party is predicted for next Monday when it meets in Chicago. If there is a split Roosevelt will claim that the interests were also there trying to run his convention. It is hard for the interests to prove an alibi these times.

Roosevelt alleges that Taft stole the nomination and Taft alleges that Roosevelt made a desperate attempt to steal it. There is one thing certain, and that is that either Roosevelt or Taft did work a flimflam game. They cannot both be right.

Roosevelt continues to allege that Taft stole the Republican nomination from him. Taft positively "denies the allegation and defies the allegator." By George, this brings up the reflection whether under some circumstances larceny of a certain ruthless kind is justifiable.

The Hon. William Randolph Hearst has cabled a denial from Paris that he recently gave out an interview attacking the Democratic party and expressing views calculated to injure the candidacy of Woodrow Wilson. The Hearst canard is only one of the few for which the public is warned to keep its eyes skinned. The safest plan is not to believe campaign sensations till they are confirmed.

The plan for State aid to good roads does not mean that the State shall build roads but lend its assistance and credit to counties which are willing to help themselves. The State can employ expert road engineers to be sent from one county to another, for the purpose of surveying roads and supervising their construction. One engineer can have charge of several counties and do the work at a saving to the counties.

State aid to good roads building in Pennsylvania seems to stimulate the counties in the work of constructing improved highways. The Chester Republican says 47 of the counties have applied for State assistance in the construction of 740 miles of roads. Delaware county has made nine applications for aid in the construction of 20 miles of roads. North Carolina can well afford to adopt a practical and vigorous constructive policy towards the construction of improved highways.

THE BETTER HOMES MOVEMENT.

The Star has several times spoken on the better homes movement, and we think it is worth while to repeat that Wilmington offers a ripe field for such a progressive public and humane spirit. Some time ago we urged better homes for poor people who are compelled to live on the less improved streets or in the suburbs. The idea was generally commended, and, to some extent, it is being put into practice in Wilmington. We believe that in the last two years there has been 100 per cent. improvement in the kinds of homes occupied by certain classes of our people.

Through the assistance of the building and loan associations and by means of savings bank accounts, now become a growing custom of our people as a result of the efforts of the banks to induce wage earners and salaried people to get the savings habit, many people have built neat homes where there used to be shacks, and property owners also have been erecting better houses in the districts where low renting prices must prevail. We hope to see this movement spread all over Wilmington and include the sections of the city occupied by colored people. There is a movement in Savannah for better homes for negroes, and the Savannah Morning News thus approves and commends it:

"The movement to secure better homes for negroes in Savannah should receive encouragement. The situation from a sanitary standpoint affects both races while from a moral standard there is everything to urge improvement in existing conditions. Better homes promote race pride and make better citizens. The Negro Civic Improvement League deserves the help of the white people in the work it has undertaken."

The Savannah movement seems to be one particularly on the part of the negroes themselves, and it is all the more creditable for them. However, property owners who rent to negro tenants, might also follow suit and do away with the thousands of unsightly shacks to be seen on the back streets and alleys of Southern cities. Not only will sanitary conditions be improved, but the attractiveness of a city will be vastly enhanced. A sure result in bettering the surroundings of any class of people is that it will give them a better opinion of themselves. It will be potent as an uplift movement, for it will inspire pride and love of home, and yield a general community benefit by reason of cultivated neatness and cleaner premises.

It should not be overlooked that city betterment cannot be more thoroughly promoted than in making the humbler homes more habitable, more attractive and more convenient for the dwellers who are not able to pay much rent. Furthermore, wherever it is possible the water and sewer lines should be run to every habitable quarter of the city, or strict sanitary regulations be enforced.

Certainly there should be much better health regulations than seems to be enforced among colored residents on Tenth street, near the James Walker Memorial Hospital, where it is a common thing for decaying watermelon rinds to litter up the streets in front of the houses. When any class of people do not know any better than to throw putrifying refuse on the streets in front of their own doors, they ought to have the lesson impressed upon them by instructions first and repression next.

THE TRANSPORTATION BURDEN.

It has been determined that lack of terminal and transportation facilities have a great deal to do with the high cost of living in this country. There is actually no telling how much burden is put upon both the producer and the consumer by bad roads, lack of railroad facilities, and absence of improved water terminal facilities. Transportation and the means of shipping, receiving and handling products in the most economical manner, cut a big figure in the expenses of the people of the United States.

The great city of New York with its 5,000,000 of mouths to be fed furnishes an illuminating object lesson as to the burden upon every man, woman and child by reason of the high cost of handling the produce and food products received in that city. Mr. Calvin Tompkins, commissioner of docks in New York, is an expert on water terminal facilities, and he has been looking carefully into the present expensive methods of handling food products and produce. In order to obviate much of the expense which falls upon consumers in New York, Commissioner Tompkins prepared comprehensive plans for improved water terminals on the entire North river waterfront. The Board of Estimate and Apportionment recently held up the plans, but it must ultimately see that it is a necessity to every man, woman and child in New York. At a largely attended meeting of the board a few days ago, Mr. Tompkins deprecated the tardiness of the board in providing for the improvements of the waterfront, and, among other things, said:

"Evidences presented to the New York Food Investigation Commission shows that only 35 per cent. of the cost of food in New York City reverts to the farmer; 65 per cent. is absorbed in transportation, handling at inefficient terminals and by city traders. By far the larger part of this unnecessary expense is due to lack of modern terminal facilities in New York, necessitating expensive truckage, storage, wastage and retail distribution."

We haven't the slightest doubt that poor rural highways, inadequate railroad service, and inefficient harbor terminals constitute at least 65 per cent. of the cost of feeding the people in the great cities. The middleman, of course, has to have his share, but the transportation tax—the mud tax of the country roads, railroad freights and poor dock facilities—is what is eating us up.

The remedy is better rural highways, more efficient railroad service, and better pier facilities wherever water transportation enters into the equation. Commissioner Tompkins' plans involves the bringing of all the railroads to the piers, so freights can be handled more economically and the drayage charges lessened. A New York commission merchant who attended the hearing gave an instance showing that his house recently received several carloads of potatoes, onions and vegetables, which were brought to the city limits by rail, but they could not be gotten into the city except at enormous drayage expense, which, as a matter of course, the consumers had to foot.

There is not a producing community that has not got its road problem, not a town that hasn't got its railroad problem, and not a port that has not got its harbor problem. The solution of them is to better the facilities and thus save expenses.

CO-OPERATIVE MARKETING

The strawberry growers and truck farmers of eastern North Carolina will no doubt be interested in the widespread movement for co-operative shipping and handling organizations among the farmers of the United States. They are being formed from Maine to California and Texas, and from Washington to Georgia and Florida. The growers in eastern North Carolina were among the pioneers in this co-operative plan for self-preservation, but they got cold feet and let their association become inanimate for lack of support. However, the result has been that it has cost them a great deal more not to support their organizations than if they had sustained it in all its former efficiency. We refer to the East Carolina Truck and Fruit Growers' Association, which it is proposed to re-organize, if the Carolina growers can be brought to realize that it is a matter of self-preservation for them to co-operate for better success.

The Florida, Georgia, Texas, California, Oregon, Washington and other fruit growers and farmers have efficient exchanges and associations and they have demonstrated their great benefits to the farmers. Potato exchanges are now being organized all over Maine and other New England States. In Maine a regular campaign of organization is being carried out at the suggestion of State Commissioner of Agriculture Buckley. The several organizations have united in establishing a selling agency in New York for the purpose of disposing of their crops to advantage. Selling agencies will also be established in other markets if necessary, and a close watch will be kept on the markets so as to prevent the glutteng of the markets like we did with our big strawberry crop last Spring.

The potato exchanges in Maine are not only going to co-operate in the marketing of their products, but in the purchase of fertilizers and supplies. Already they have made large fertilizer contracts at a saving of $7.50 a ton compared with last season. However, it is only by earnest co-operation and support of the exchanges that they can reap the benefit of organization.

The Governor of Tennessee issued a requisition for a Georgian and afterwards withdrew it with the acknowledgment that he had made a mistake. This is a notable instance, in view of the fact that the average Governor would waste two hours in a speech attempting to prove that he is the only man who never makes a mistake of any kind.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Not even having Red Buck Bryant on its trail can make the Bull Moose party hereabouts turn pale. Most of it is permanently colored.—Columbia State.

The most aggravating charge of the whole campaign is that made by Mr. Clark that Mr. Chairman Webb voted at the dictation of Mr. Watts.—Durham Herald.

It is said that Blease's case is to be reopened in Charlotte or in Augusta, Georgia. By all means bring it to Charlotte, and let those blind tigers see how the dictagraph works.—Rocky Mount Telegram.

A tax on a business returning more than $5,000 a year is not an income tax, but an excise tax—not a tax on capital but on production. Just so the finance system of the Moosevelts is a delusion and a snare. Let Democrats say what they mean and do what they have promised to do. You may tax a man's property and objections will only lie against the expediency of the measure, but you cannot tax a man's productive energies without discouraging efficiency.—Jacksonville Times-Union.

The Wilmington Star, of yesterday morning, gives a good editorial boost to the good roads meeting in Charlotte and publishes quite a list of prominent Wilmington people who will be here. The Star says they will bring enthusiasm to the convention. As for that matter, so will the delegation from every county that is represented here. It is true, as The Star observes, that North Carolina is now in the eye of the world and she wants to keep there by advertising to the world that she will soon be covered with good roads from the sea to the mountains.—Charlotte Observer.

If there was ever any doubt of Gov. Wilson's triumphant election it exists no longer. The women are at work for him. The Women's National Democratic League has headquarters in New York and branches in nearly every State in the union. Mrs. Woodrow Wilson recently accepted the honorary presidency of the league and Mrs. Thomas R. Marshall has accepted the vice presidency. The league is making plans to carry on an active campaign in behalf of Wilson and Marshall ,especially in the six States where women will vote this year for presidential electors. — Savannah News.

Recognizing the common drinking cup as a menace to health, several States, including Maryland, have passed laws prohibiting the same. Certain railroad companies have observed the law very strictly by having no drinking cups. A few have gone further and quit providing drinking water on trains. The New Jersey commission has hauled up half a dozen railroads for leaving their passengers to suffer. The abolition of the tin cup has not abolished thirst. Water is still a favorite beverage, and passengers, even on the most law-abiding lines, should not be allowed to perish for lack of it. The action of the railroads reminds us of the line printed on the bill of fare of a Western hotel: "Guests are not allowed to take fruit from the table. In order to prevent guests from taking fruit from the table there will be no fruit."—Baltimore Evening Sun.

About the biggest shake-up of blind tigers the State has known occurred Saturday in Wilmington, when Judge Frank Carter, of Asheville, began imposing cash fines ranging from $1,000 to $5,000 upon offenders. It appears that at the last January term of court in Wilmington, a number of violators of the prohibition law were convicted, but judgment was continued on condition that they give bond not to offend again and to appear in court with the proof of their good behavior. Some of those thus under bond and promise kept the faith. Others against whom charges of having violated their obligations were made, forfeited their bonds and skipped the city. It was against these absentees that the fines were recorded. Where the bondsmen could not make good, attachments were ordered against the property of the defendants, the court giving it to be understood that the money must come, or it would be a term on the roads. Judge Carter comes from the town of the Hon. Virgil S. Lusk, the greatest living enemy o fthe blind tiger, and is a man who entertains greatest living enemy of the blind does. At any rate, he scored a record shake-up. As a result, silence broods in the erstwhile noisy and well-trodden jungles about Wilmington.—Charlotte Observer.

Suggestions and Oppositions to the Red Cross Tuberculosis Hospital Being Erected in This City.

On account of prejudices whether necessary or unnecessary for the establishment of a hospital to be set aside for the treatment of consumptives in the city, let me request that my vote be registered against the building or the erecting of such an institution in the city limits or within the three-mile zone. This establishment here will not only cause unnecessary depreciation in the value of property located near it, but will bring about a feeling of nervousness which is unfortunately often needless if not always, and a similar mental state will exist as was caused by the pellagra fear which I found to be in the minds of most everyone when I returned to North Carolina. The municipal slogan should be "Happiness, good feeling and health for its people"; consequently any fear of tubercular infection should be eliminated.

Therefore, the best way to accomplish this is to erect a hospital outside of the three-mile zone. It has been my good fortune to give great thought to the question of tuberculosis and if one follows the opinion, whether right or wrong, of the majority, he must see that the tuberculosis hospital should be erected in the country.

While I have no association or connection with the Red Cross or any society which fosters the care or tuberculosis, nor have I any desire for such connection, as I firmly believe the doctors whose names I see mentioned are quite compatible with the character of the work they are undertaking, it has been my good fortune to observe and treat many, many thousands of consumptives and such methods of many laboratories and institutions set aside for the stamping out of tuberculosis. Consequently, I say with emphasis, "Do not erect the institution or hospital in the city, but erect it in the country."

Recently in our midst has come to the front a man who bids fair to make a mark among us as a philanthropist. His recent timely gift of the sum of $100 to Dr. Nesbitt's campaign immediately caused people to consider him to be ranked as a philanthropist. His charity was timely and his $100 apparently has done the good that Dr. Nesbit anticipated. Mr. D. L. Gore is the citizen whom we all know and the eyes of those who regard charity and philanthropy as being praiseworthy are focused on him. It is to Mr. D. L. Gore that I ask you to come together with your hearts and request him to set aside a fairly large acreage of his many thousands of acres of land, and I have heard them figured from 200,000 acres to a half a million, in order that a lasting monument may be erected to him while he is living.

On this acreage should be the Red Cross Hospital

According to newspaper reports, he owns a large tract of land upon which United States government officials have recently been investigating. This tract lies just without the three-mile limit. Will it not be possible for Mr. Gore to grant this to the noble ladies who sanction the erection of the Red Cross tuberculosis hospital, in order that they may erect on the spot now in the eyes of the people as a fitting place to truth, that good can overcome evil. RUSSELL BELLAMY.

SIMMONS BRINGS SUIT.

"Infamous Slander" in Charge Published in Republican Paper.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., July 31.—Senator Simmons' attention was called late yesterday evening to an article in The Highlander, of Shelby, of July 17th, an independent paper with a Republican editor, strongly supporting Governor Kitchin for the Senate, signed "Corn Cracker" containing the following statement: "How long has Simmons been feasting at the public crib? How about the $100,000 he has been paid for voting 19 votes wrong, according to the tenets and traditions of Democracy out of a possible 43?

Immediately upon reading this charge Senator Simmons sent the following telegram to Ryburn & Hoey, attorneys at law, at Shelby.

"Have just this minute read infamous slander in the Highlander, July 27th, signed 'Corn Cracker.' I wish to employ you to at once institute criminal and civil proceedings against both the writer and the publisher of this slanderous charge."

The 19 votes to which "Corn Cracker" refers in his charge of bribery against Senator Simmons are the 19 votes given by him, one against reciprocity, 16 in favor of amendments to the reciprocity bill, and two in favor of motions made by Senator Overman with reference to taking up the cotton bill—these amendments to the reciprocity bill for which Senator Simmons voted were in part amended to put the products of the trust, such as cotton bagging and ties, wire fencing and agricultural implements, on the free list; in part, votes cast by him in favor of an amendment to add to the reciprocity bill the farmers' free list puting all kinds of agricultural implements and machines, boots, shoes, leather, harness and lumber on the free list, and in part votes cast by him in favor of amendments to the reciprocity bill reducing duties on 38 enumerated articles of household and farm supplies which the farmer does not produce, but buys. They were votes against the trusts and protected manufacturer and in favor of the consumer, especially the farmer. They are the 19 votes Governor Kitchin refers to in his speeches without telling what they were about.

Speaking of this outrageous charge, Senator Simmons said today that it was in line with the numerous utterly unfounded innuendoes, insinuation, falsehoods, suppressions and misrepresentations of fact, which characterized the campaign being made against him, and illustrated a reckless disregard for truth, and the willingness, without a shadow of justification, to do what was necessary to arouse prejudice even to the point of deliberate assassination of character.

He said so far as the authors of this manufactured charge, for, of course, it had not a scintilla of foundation, are concerned, he should prosecute them to the utmost limit of the law.

A CARD.

Now that the sum of $400,000 has been used, I think that the citizens who live on the southside from Orange to Kidder streets, and from Fifth to 17th streets, covering about 132 city blocks, should send in a letter of thanks for their share of the good streets received as follows: A path of red clay from Fifth to Ninth on Wooster street, and one block of vitrified brick on Castle from Fifth to Sixth street. On the other hand we had a good street on Sixth from Castle to Orange, and on Orange from Sixth to Ninth, but since the Tidewater Power Co., laid new tracks, the street is impassible. And furthermore, you should show your appreciation at the next election.

A SOUTHSIDER

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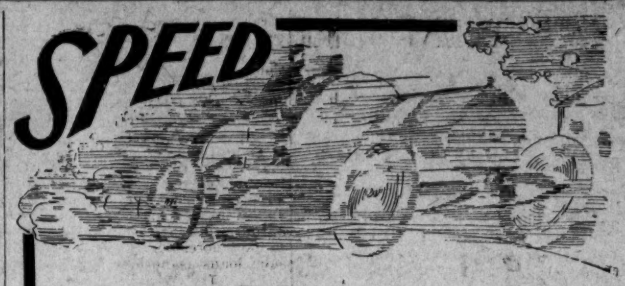

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STORMY SESSION OF COUNCIL

Wrangle Yesterday Morning With Regard to Street Improvement Fund, Which is Practically Exhausted.

Probably the stormiest session in the history of the City Council—and that body has had some lively meetings—was the regular weekly gathering yesterday morning, precipitated by Mr. R. A. Parsley, a prominent citizen and large tax-payer, who insisted upon Council's furnishing him detailed information asked for at the last regular meeting as to the amount expended for street improvements and the amount yet available for a continuation of the work.

Mr. Parsley criticised the method of keeping the street fund account in the financial department and asserted and re-iterated any any number of times that no human being could tell anything from the records about the financial status of the city with regard to the street improvement fund.

Mr. Parsley was given assurance by Councilman P. Q. Moore that the information would be forthcoming within a day or two. Pressed by Mayor Smith for a statement at that time, Councilman Moore said that he did not have the figures in detail with him, but that after the present contracts had been finished there would be only between $3,000 and $5,000 left of the bond money for street improvements. Both Councilman Tiencken, in charge of the Department of Accounts and Finance, and Capt. Thos. D. Meares, city clerk and treasurer, replied to Mr. Parsley's attack on the method of keeping books in the financial department, the former inviting Mr. Parsley to submit for consideration any better and more business-like method, if he had such, and the latter stating that the books are kept like any expert bookkeeper would keep them; that they show actual figures, not estimates or guesses; that his records show the contracts awarded for street improvement work and amount paid on the contracts, but did not, of course, show any estimates of what would be due for any unmeasured work.

There was also a clash between Councilman P. Q. Moore, in charge of the Streets and Wharves Department, and Councilman B. C. Moore, in charge of the Department of Public Safety, who asserted that he had not been given the amount of money for street improvements in his ward, the First, that had been repeatedly promised him by the Councilman in charge of this work; Councilman P. Q. Moore retorting rather heatedly that the reason of this was because Council had voted to use the money in the southern part of the city and that the Councilman in charge of Public Safety was as much responsible as any other member; that he had the utmost respect for a person who would stand up and take his medicine like a man, admit that he had been asleep at the switch, and nothing but the utmost contempt for a person who tries to place the blame for his shortcomings on someone else. Councilman B. C. Moore replied to this thrust by saying that he had remarked earlier in the meeting that he considered the entire Council responsible for the rapid expenditure of the street improvement money and that he was willing to take his share of the blame.

Two hours was spent in wrangling over the matter, and very little else received consideration at the meeting. By agreement of those interested the question of the location of the Red Cross Society tuberculosis hospital was deferred until the next meeting. The ordinance providing for the purchase of the existing sewerage system was called for its second reading, but was deferred to a special meeting to be held at the call of the Mayor, the reason for this being a statement of Councilman Perdew that he had heard some rumors that might be well to investigate before final action on the proposition was taken by Council.

A further report was received from the chief of police as to buildings, piazzas or steps projecting on the sidewalks, and it was ordered that the owners of property who had not been notified on a former report be notified that they will be given an opportunity to appear before Council at its next meeting to state their side of the matter.

Mr. Wm. Crownstream appeared before the Council and urged that the Seaboard Air Line, or Seaboard Air Line and the Atlantic Coast Line jointly, be required to construct a new bridge across the railroad tracks on Fourth street to take the place of the present unsafe wooden structure. It was explained to Mr. Crownstream that the question of whether or not one or both roads will be required to build the bridge will depend upon the outcome of a case now in court brought by one road against the other. He was given assurance by City Attorney Herbert McClammy that as soon as the question between the two roads is settled the bridge will be built. Mr. Crownstream also called attention to the condition of a drain on Taylor, between Seventh and Eighth streets, which, it was promised, will have the immediate attention of the Councilman in charge of Streets and Wharves. He also made a request for some of the street paving material that is being removed from streets that are being improved with a better paving. This will be taken up with Councilman P. Q. Moore.

The following persons made application for the position of superintendent of streets to suceeed the late Mr. R. Oscar Grant: R. B. Moore, Sol. J. Jones and Geo. W. Britt. Councilman P. Q. Moore said that he was not ready to recommend a person for the position, and no action was taken.

Councilman P. Q. Moore then submitted his annual report, which is given in another column of today's paper. Upon motion of Councilman Perdew, the report was received and ordered placed on file.

Upon recommendation of Mayor Smith, who has charge of market house, plans submitted by Mr. J. F. Gause, Jr., the architect, for improving the Front street market house, were accepted. The improvements will cost about $3,000.

The following resolution was offered and adopted:

"Whereas, it is necessary to anticipate the collection of the revenues for the current fiscal year, in order to defray the expenses of the city for the two months next ensuing,

"Therefore, Be it Resolved by the Council of the city of Wilmington, N. C., that the Councilman in charge of Accounts and Finance be and is hereby empowered and authorized to negotiate a loan with any of the banks of the city for an amount not exceeding $20,000, for such time and at such rate of interest as may seem to him advisable. And the Mayor and clerk and treasurer of the city are hereby authorized and directed to execute the proper notes or acknowledgment of such loans as herein provided for."

The Wrangle Begins.

It was right after the adoption of a resolution authorizing the Mayor and city clerk and treasurer to negotiate a loan of $40,000 to pay contractors for street improvements, same being the amount advanced to the Tidewater Power Company and individuals in connection with the work, that the wrangle which lasted for about two hours began. The resolution is as follows:

"Whereas, it is necessary to make immediate settlement with the contractors who have completed their contracts for laying certain streets in the city of Wilmington, and

"Whereas, certain amounts are due by the Tidewater Power Company for its proportion of work done on streets where there are lines of street car track, which amounts cannot be paid until the measuremeuts and adjustments of same is made, and which amounts ahe part of the sums due said contractors.

"Be it Resolved, by the Council of the City of Wilmington, N. C., that in order to effect the immediate settlements before referred to, the Councilman of Accounts and Finance be and is hereby authorized to negotiate a loan for such sum of money as may be needed for the purpose aforesaid, not exceeding $40,000 in total, and the Mayor and the clerk and treasurer are hereby authorized and instructed in behalf of the city to execute notes and acknowledgements for such sum so borrowed in amounts and for such time and at such rate of interest not exceeding 6 per cent., as may be agreed upon by the Councilman aforesaid with the banks."

Mr. R. A. Parsley raised the question of whether the city had the right to borrow money to replace money that had been "unwisely loaned to some one else." City Attorney McClammy said that the city had a perfect right to borrow the money, as proposed by the resolution. He went on to explain that the act authorizing the bond issue provided for the city advancing money to the street railway and to individuals and that the improvement would be a lien on the property until the amount, plus the interest, was paid. Mr. Parsley then asked Mr. McClammy where this lien was and the city attorney replied by reading the section of the act relating to the matter. This act provides that the street railways shall pay for the paving between the tracks and 18 inches on either side. However, the Tidewater Power Co., is to pay for only 12 inches on either side, a question having been raised by the company as far back as the time of the Street Commission that its franchise granted by the city provided for the paying of only 12 inches on either side.

Councilman P. Q. Moore said that there was no use of "hounding the Tidewater Power Company, as it would pay the amount as soon as it gets a bill from the city." Mr. Parsley disclaimed any purpose of "hounding the Tidewater Power Co.," saying that he was merely seeking information in asking the question as to whether the city had the legal right to borrow money and advance it to pay for the contracts.

Mayor Smith started the discussion anew when he asked Councilman P. Q. Moore if he had his report ready giving detail information relative to the amount expended and unexpended of the street improvement fund, as asked for by Mr. Parsley at the last regular meeting. Councilman Moore replied that the city engineer had recently made a report covering the work up to June 1st, and that he had no further report to make until the entire work was completed, which, he said, would be but a few weeks. Mayor Smith said that he thought the information should be given without any delay and that he himself desired to know approximately the amount that will be left on hand after the present contracts have been completed. Mr. Moore said that he was not doing any bookkeeping in his department, but that the city clerk and treasurer had the figures and could give them to any person who desired the information. Pressed further, for a rough estimate, of the amount that will be left on hand, Councilman Moore said that it would be between $3,000 and $5,000, and stated that he would furnish the Mayor the figures in detail today.

Councilman B. C. Moore interposed to remark that if the bond money was that near gone he did not see why the Council ever bought the old tobacco warehouse property in the northern part of the city for $13,500. Mayor Smith and Councilman P. Q. Moore both answered by saying that it was necessary to have some place for the city stables and no other property appeared to be as feasible. They said that the people were "making it hot" for them for not having some place like that for the city stables. Councilman B. C. Moore answered by saying that the people were not making it any hotter than they are now over the amount paid for the property in question.

Councilman B. C. Moore went on to say that the only way to get at the matter of the expenditures for street improvements was for the Councilman in charge of that department to furnish an itemized statement of the cost of each block improved, the statement showing the amount paid a square yard, also amount expended for engineers, labor, etc. Mr. Moore said that he had been under the impression that the city would have $40,000 or $50,000 left after the present contracts were completed.

Mr. Parsley stated that he had not asked for any statement from Councilman P. Q. Moore as to the amount of work done, but that he had asked the financial department of the city for a statement showing the amount expended and the amount unexpended of the bond issue. He said that he had gone in person to the office of the city clerk and treasurer and that the information desired could not be obtained from his books, as he had no records of contracts or obligations. He considered the financial department in "bad shape", and declared that he did not think that Councilman P. Q. Moore could get the information himself from the financial department. Councilman P. Q. Moore suggested that the city clerk and treasurer would leave today and be away for two weeks and immediately upon his return would furnish all the information desired.

Mr. Parsley continued his remarks with reference to the financial department and asserted that "no living man can tell anything from the books as to any contracts or obligations the city has entered into." The obligations, he said, were just as solemn and binding on the part of the city as if they were contracts.

Capt. Thos. D. Meares, city clerk and treasurer, stated that insofar as Mr. Parsley's remarks as to the bookkeeping were concerned he desired to be heard by Council. He said that no bookkeeper or treasurer keeps on his books estimates or guesses, nothing but actual figures being shown. So far as his books are concerned, he said, they show everything expended by the city or obligated. Capt. Meares said that the city engineer always knew approximately the amount of unfinished work and he (Capt. Meares) always knew the amount of money left on hand. He emphasized the fact that the engineer's information was always obtainable by him and that the two departments kept in close touch with each other.

Mr. Parsley said that he was not criticising Capt. Meares personally, but that he was criticising the method of keeping the accounts, and that if the statement made by Capt. Meares was correct then the information so earnestly sought by him ought to be furnished him in five minutes time by the financial department.

Councilman B. C. Moore remarked that he could see no reason why the city engineer could not give a pretty accurate estimate of the unfinished work on short notice and Councilman P. Q. Moore replied that he could. Councilman B. C. Moore then remarked that he had asked for this information some months ago, but it had never been furnished him.

In illustrating that no one connected with the city government seemed to know anything about the fund, Mr. Parsley said that Councilman P. Q. Moore, B. C. Moore and Tiencken had told him any number of times that there would be $30,000 or $40,000 for permanent street improvements in that part of the city known as Brooklyn.

Answering this, Councilman P. Q. Moore said that at the time he made the statement to Mr. Parsley that amount of money was available for the northern section of the city, but since then Council had voted away $23,000 to be expended in building a road to Greenfield mill pond in the southern part of the city in exchange for park property. Councilman Moore said further that this would indicate that the Council knew the condition of the fund when Mr. Parsley was told as to the amount then available.

Councilman B. C. Moore said that he did not know that he was not to get the amount promised him for his section of the city, or he never would have voted for the appropriation for the southern part of the city.

Councilman P. Q. Moore was asked by Mr. Parsley to kindly ascertain for him from the records in the financial department what the improvement of Third street and Fifth street had cost the city. Mr. Moore said he could give this information and Mr. Parsley asked that he do so at the next meeting.

Councilman P. Q. Moore then asked Mr. Parsley if he did not agree about ten days ago not to bother the Council again until August 10th, when he thought all contracts would be complete. Mr. Parsley said that he did agree not to say anything more about a road he desired in Hilton until after August 10th, but he had made no such agreement as to the information he sought about the street money. Councilman Moore then asked him that if he had gotten the Hilton road would he have been present to press his request, and Mr. Parsley replied that he rather thought he would not, because there would have been no necessity for an investigation, he said.

An investigation, said Councilman Moore, would be welcomed by his department and he felt satisfied that the financial department would be equally as anxious for it. Mr. Parsley again spoke of the methods used in the financial department, and caused Capt. Meares to rise a second time to speak in defense of his department and his bookkeeping methods. He expressed surprise that a man of Mr. Parsley's business ability and experience was not able to understand the accounts as they are kept.

Councilman B. C. Moore remarked here that he thought the criticism was applicable to all members of the Council; that he was willing to take his part of the responsibility, for he did not know that the money was so near gone.

Mayor Smith said that no matter what motives actuated Mr. Parsley that he had a right to ask for and receive the information. He thought the Department of Streets and Wharves should keep a memorandum of the work done and of the unfinished work. He said that Councilman P. Q. Moore had stated that he would have only $3,000 to $5,000 left when the outstanding contracts are completed and while he thought the information should be given more in detail that he had confidence in all members of Council and would continue to have this confidence until he had good cause for feeling otherwise.

Councilman Tiencken, in charge of the Department of Accounts and Finance, said that if Mr. Parsley did not mean to criticise Capt. Meares, then he meant to criticise him and that he wanted Mr. Parsley to state in concrete form exactly what his complaint was. Mr. Parsley said that the department should have copies of all contracts and be able to tell at any time the amount expended of a given fund. Capt. Meares replied by saying that the department had copies of the contracts and had a record of the amounts expended and further, that a statement of the condition of the affairs of the city is made up and given out every month. Councilman Tiencken invited Mr. Parsley to come around and show the department how to conduct its affairs.

Next there was a clash between Councilmen B. C. Moore and P. Q. Moore with regard to street work, or rather lack of street work, in the northern part of the city. Councilman B. C. Moore said that his colleague had promised to take care of his end of the city, and had made numerous engagements with him, but had failed to keep them—

"That is the most cowardly statement you have made," broke in Councilman P. Q. Moore, quite heatedly,

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WILL GO TO THE JURY TODAY

Fair Progress Made in Hefner Murder Case—Nolo Contendere Defendants Return—More Indictments Yesterday.

With all the evidence on both sides in when court took a recess last evening at 5 o'clock, the case against Fannie Hefner, a white woman, charged with the murder of Henry Jordan, white, will go to the jury this morning after the arguments of counsel and the judge's charge. Practically the entire day in court yesterday was given over to the selection of the jury and the hearing of the evidence.

Some side features in court yesterday included the return of another large batch of indictments by the grand jury charging violations of the prohibition law and nuisance, and still more talk of the rumored "graft investigation" by the grand jury. The day was also featured by the return of J. E. Taylor, J. O. Grimes and J. W. Capps, three of the nolo contendere defendants who were absent when the cases were called last Saturday, when Judge Carter imposed a fine of $2,500 on Taylor and fines of $3,000 each on Grimes and Capps. Taylor forfeited bond of $1,750 and Grimes bond of $1,800, while Capps only forfeited his original nolo contendere bond of several hundred dollars. The men came into court yesterday voluntarily, and Judge Carter ordered their fines and forfeitures stricken out. He placed Taylor under bond of $2,000; Grimes under bond of $1,500 and Capps under bond of $1,000 for their appearance in court from day to day until their cases are taken up. It is understood that the cases will probably be taken up tomorrow morning, along with several other nolo contendere cases and cases against those who have entered pleas of guilty to indictments charging violation of the prohibition law returned by the present grand jury. James E. Holton and Ben Crumpler, two of the number who have been indicted on charges of violating the prohibition law at this term of court, came into court yesterday and gave bonds of $500 each for their appearance from day to day.

The Hefner case was taken up when court convened yesterday morning, and the following jury was selected and empannelled in a comparatively short time: E. B. King, J. J. Piner, H. E. Walton, E. P. H. Strunck, J. R. Canady, T. E. Davis, J. D. Dosher, E. T. Bannerman, P. A. Bounds, F. Southerland, J. F. Divine, J. N. Boyce. Solicitor Shaw is assisted in the prosecution by L. Clayton Grant, Esq., while Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy and W. J. Bellamy, Esq., appear for the defendant.

Frances Williams, a colored girl of about 13 years of age, who cooked at the Hefner woman's house on Eighth street, between Church and Castle, was the first witness put on by the State. She told of the man Henry Jordan coming to the house on the evening of March 9th, about 7 o'clock, and demanding admittance, and of it being refused by the Hefner woman. Witness said he went to the front window and began pulling at the blinds, and Fannie Hefner then fired. She said Jordan then went to the end of the porch and came through the door and that the woman fired at him again, exclaiming with an oath that she had intended to kill him. Jordan then left the house. On cross-examination the defense brought out that the woman had twice warned Jordan to leave before firing.

Patrolman A. L. Long testified of having met Jordan about a half block from the home of the Hefner woman. He said blood was streaming from a wound in the man's cheek. The officer said he went to the Hefner's woman's home and that Fannie Hefner and Mamie Piver, another inmate, both denied that the shooting had occurred there. The officer said he had picked up three empty 32-calibre pistol cartridges. Mr. Graham Smith, a member of the fire department, testified that he had heard the shooting and had gone to the house to investigate. He found the place in confusion, and after a search discovered a 32-calibre revolver concealed under a rug, with no cartridges in the chamber. He turned the firearm over to the police. Patrolman Craig said he saw Jordan in a store a short distance away and that he went to the house. Both women denied knowledge of the shooting. He saw two bullet holes in the window panes and pools of blood on the floor. He also saw a number of articles of men's wearing apparel and some carpenters' tools on the floor in the house.

Dr. R. B. Seem, who was at that time superintendent at the James Walker Memorial Hospital, testified that Jordan was brought to the institution in an unconscious condition and that he never regained consciousness. The wound was in his right cheek, and was not probed until after death. The bullet, he said, was found in the bones of the floor of the skull. In his opinion the wound caused death. Dr. C. D. Bell, coroner of New Hanover county, testified as to the wound. He said the bullet ranged downward, while Dr. Seem had testified that it ranged upwards and backward.

Mr. W. A. Crouch was the first witness introduced by the defense. He testified as to a conversation he had with the deceased on the afternoon preceding the shooting, when Jordan told him that Fannie Hefner had forbidden him to come to her house any more, and that he was going out there that night and give some undertaker a job if the ... ... was there. Crouch did not know whether Jordan applied the oath to the woman or to some other person. A little later the witness said that he saw Fannie Hefner on the street, and asked her what was the matter with her and Henry Jordan, telling her of Jordan's threat.

Mr. Henderson Cole, a furniture dealer, testified that he knew the defendant, having sold her some furniture. He went to her house a day or so after the shooting to look after the furniture, which had not been paid for. Said he saw two bullet holes in the shade, one about two and one half feet above the floor, and the other about a foot higher. He also examined the bullet hole in the lower pane of the window, stating that the hole was smooth on the outside of the pane, and rough on the inside. He did not examine the other bullet hole, but saw a hole in the plastering on the wall opposite the window, in line with the lower hole. He said that there were dark stains, evidently made by blood, on the outside just under the window, and that these led around to the door, then into the hall and on out the back door. Deputy Sheriff Melvin Horne testified as to the blood stains and also that he noticed what appeared to be a bullet mark on the lattice work on the porch, diagonally opposite the window.

Fannie Hefner, the defendant, took the stand in her own behalf. She said that she was married and had two children, but that her husband and children had not been living with her for a number of years. She had not been leading a correct life. Knew Harry Jordan and he visited her. She had wanted to break away from him and go back to her husband, but he had threatened to kill her if she did. She had moved away from a section of the city inhabited by women of ill repute in order to escape him, and had been in her new house about two weeks, but he had followed her there. On the evening of the shooting Crouch had told her that Jordan was threatening to come out and make trouble that night. She had gone to her room to dress when he came. Her door was locked. He tried to get in, but she warned him to go away. He then went to the window and tried to enter. She told him she would not let him in and he replied that if he could not get her with words he would get her with lead. She said he then fired through the window, and that she fired back, intending to scare him away. She heard him come around to the door again and try to enter there. He finally went away, and she did not see him again.

The witness told a very straight story on direct examination, but on cross-examination she became evasive and seemed reluctant to answer the questions of the solicitor. She would not admit that the clothes found in the house belonged to Jordan, and she testified that a large quantity of beer found in the house had been bought for her own personal use. She said that she told the police that there had been no shooting at her house because she was not on her oath at the time.

Other witnesses put on by the defense were Mr. J. P. Hopewell, Gussie Greer and Mamie Piver, the woman who lived at Fannie Hefner's house. Policemen Minshue, Long and Coleman were put on by the State to testify as to a few minor details.

The defense rested its case at 5 o'clock and the court took a recess until 9:30 this morning. The jury spent the night in charge of Deputy Sheriff A. L. Kelly.

Indictments charging violations of the prohibition law were returned by the grand jury yesterday against the following: H. M. Croom, Zack Walters, T. F. McAlister, Jim Burriss, W. E. Beaton, Jacob Haas, Tag Parker, Bruce Sellers, T. O. Norriss, O. E. Merritt, two cases; Jap Bennett, John Doe, alias Julius, and R. M. Padrick.

The first indictments charging nuisance returned at this term were docketed yesterday. They are against Harry Litgen, Billie Pringle, Tom Blackburn, Charlie Oliver and Bogus Wells. The indictments charge that the parties named did "openly and notoriously haunt and frequent houses of ill fame, to the great damage and common nuisance of all the good people and to the evil example of all persons in the like offending." Capiases were issued immediately, but Charlie Oliver is the only one who has been arrested so far. He was arrested last night and gave $200 bond for his appearance this morning.

Women Arrested.

Late last evening the grand jury returned a batch of indictments against women alleged to be keeping houses of ill repute, and capiases were placed in the hands of Deputies John Davis, Melvin Horne, Joe Bryant and E. C. Reynolds, for service. The county officers were assisted in serving the papers by five members of the police force, Chief John J. Fowler kindly offering the assistance of his men. The following women were arrested last night and all furnished bond of $50 each for their appearance in court this morning: Gussie Greer, Ruth Allen, Mattie Allen, Nellie Beery, Maud Martin, Nannie Jones, Bessie Talley, Lola Harriss and Ella Osborne. Eva Davis was arrested a little later. Many of the women indicted could not be found, and it is said that a number of them have left the city. Trixie Johnson was ill and could not appear, but she deposited enough jewelry with the officers to cover the amount of her bond.

G. C. Hand, who was indicted about a year ago for an assault with a deadly weapon on an aged man named King, at the plant of the Wilmington Handle Company, was arrested last night on a capias and sent to pail. Patrolman J. F. Jordan, of the police department, telephoned the sheriff's office that he had seen Hand on Brunswick street. He was instructed to make the arrest and did so. The capias for Hand's arrest was sent out in the patrol wagon, and the man was arrested at Third and Brunswick streets.

So far there have been no developments from the rumored "graft" investigation by the grand jury, but it is being whispered around the Court House that something will be forthcoming in the next few days. Detective W. M. Pinson, who is said to have been engaged on the matter, stated last night that he was in position to say nothing in regard to it, but that there would probably be some developments before court adjourned. The inference from his remarks was that the present grand jury had uncovered so much "dirt" that the members hardly know how to proceed.

There was a rumor yesterday that the grand jury was or would investigate the amounts of money spent in the primary elections here last Spring. It was also said that the body had been inspecting the books of the Recorder's court, but for what purpose it was not known. The grand jury also called upon the Evening Dispatch yesterday for its files covering the past two years, it is presumed for the purpose of obtaining information as to some news happenings within that period.

BOLD ROBBERY COMMITTED.

Thieves Made Good Haul at Crescent Cigar Store on Princess Street.

The Crescent Cigar Store at 209 Princess street, Mr. M. D. Bright proprietor, was entered Tuesday morning between the hours of 1 and 7 o'clock by a person or persons unknown, and about $100 worth of pipes, cigars, cigarettes, and other smoking materials were stolen, as well as a gold watch and cash amounting to $6.10. The robbery was reported to the police department as soon as it was discovered, but the information was suppressed in the fond and deluded hope that the guilty ones would be captured if no publicity was given to it.

Entrance to the store was effected through the large transom over the front door, and this leads to the belief that more than one person participated in the storebreaking. It is thought that a small man or boy stood on the shoulders of a confederate and went in through the transom. A stepladder was found standing against the door next morning and the robber evidently used this to make his way out.

The pipes were taken from a show case which is kept locked. The key was hanging up behind some papers in the store and it is believed that the theft was committed by someone who was familiar with the place, and where the key was kept.

This is the first storebreaking of some months and coming at a time when Superior Court is in session and when a famous detective is working in the city, it is particularly daring.

FOR INDIGESTION

Take Horsford's Acid Phosphate.
A little in water before meals acts as a relief from distress after eating.

Interest On Your Money

All deposits made with us on or before August 2nd will draw interest from August 1. Let us suggest that you start a Savings Account with this strong old Savings Bank at th s time.

Success follows those who bank with "The People's."

"SAFEST FOR SAVINGS."

THE PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK

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Deposits made here on or before Friday, August 2nd, will draw interest from August 1st at rate of 4%, compounded quarterly.

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Oldest, Largest, Strongest North Carolina Savings Bank

THE PURCHASER ANNOUNCED

Murchison National Bank Gets the Cape Fear Club Property

Confirming the report published in The Star a day or two after John D. Bellamy, Jr., Esq., as agent, closed a deal for the property of the Cape Fear Club property at the northwest corner of Front and Chesnut streets, announcement was made yesterday that the Murchison National Bank is the purchaser of the properey. The bank will build a handsome home on the property, but whether the building will be a sky-scraper or of only four or five stories in height is yet to be determined by the directors. The bank will get possession of the property in nine months at which time it is hoped to begin the erection of the new building. In the meantime plans will be selected, contracts let, etc. The bank will very likely sell its present handsome home at the northeast intersection of the same streets upon the erection of the new building. It is said that the reason the bank decided to buy the property and build is that the institution has outgrown its present quarters and it is necessary to have more room than could be provided in the present building without interferring with the business of the institution while the work of remodelling was in progress.

The Cape Fear Club secures in exchange for its property the Bettencourt property at the southeast corner of Second and Chesnut streets and $70,000 in cash. The club will build on its newly acquired property and work on the structure is expected to be commenced in a short time.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Quite a Number of Deeds Were Filed For Record Yesterday

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: R. A. Parsley and wife to North Carolina Cotton Oil Co., for $3,500, tract on right-of-way of W. C. & R., W. C. & A., and W. & W. railroads, lying partly in and partly out of the city; Matt J. Heyer and wife to Jacob G. Seitter and wife, for $1,000 and other considerations, tract on Castle Haynes road, containing about 65 acres; J. Irving Bear to Thomas A. Smith, for $100 and other considerations, lot on southeast corner of Seventh and Marsteller streets, 66x165 feet in size; Phyllis Bowen and others to Carl W. Polvogt, for $1,800, lot on McRae, 195 3-4 feet north of Chesnut street, 33x156 feet in size; W. J. Reaves and wife to Wiley D. Register, for $100 and other considerations, lot on Second, 96 1-2 feet south of Church street, 30 1-2x100 feet in size; W. J. Reaves and wife to J. Haughton James, for $100 and other considerations, lot on Second, 66 feet south of Church street, 30 1-2x100 feet in size.

—A special representative of Smith Gray & Co., will be at the store of the A. David Company Friday and Saturday to take orders for Fall and Winter clothes. The representative will have with him a grand assortment of foreign and domestic woolens and all friends and patrons are requested to come and look at the line whether they purchase or not.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY, & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Miss May Cross, of Raleigh, is the attractive guest of her cousin, Miss Ida McLean Black, at 116 North Third street.

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The Women's Christian Temperance Union will meet this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in the lecture room at the First Baptist church.

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Miss Ollie Watts Sellars left yesterday for Florence, S. C., where she will spend several weeks with her aunt, Mrs. C. E. Hill.

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Mrs. Walter T. Brock, of Carolina Place, will leave Sunday afternoon for Birmingham, Ala., to spend a month with her sister, Mrs. William Neal, whom she has not seen for 19 years.

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Mrs. F. B. Culp and little daughter arrived in the city last night from Chester, S. C., to spend some weeks with Mrs. Culp's mother, Mrs. P. F. Duffy, before returning to Alluquerque, New Mexico.

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Mrs. A. L. Freeman and Misses Custys Meredith, Lucile, Mary and Anita Riley leave this morning for Hendersonville and other points in the western part of the State, where they will spend several weeks.

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Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Cline, of Stanley, N. C., are spending some time in the city visiting Mrs. Cline's sisters, Mrs. A. G. Warren, Mrs. J. A. Smith and Mrs. H. H. Merritt. They are also visiting their daughter, Mrs. John R. Kelly.

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The Covenanters, a band of boys of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, will give a musicale tonight, beginning at 8 o'clock, at the handsome new memorial Hall. The boys will be assisted by some of the best musical talent of the city, and a rare treat is in store for all who attend. Refreshments will be served. There will be no charge for either admission to the entertainment or the refreshments, but a silver offering will be asked for the Covenanters' treasury, which is devoted to charitable and benevolent purposes.

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A pleasant occasion is anticipated at Carolina Beach tomorrow, when the excursion of the Scelzi Orchestra will be run to Carolina Beach. The steamer Wilmington will make three trips, leaving the city at 9 A. M., 2:30 and 7:30 P. M. There will be music by the orchestra all day long and plenty of dancing for all. Delightful refreshments will be served and a genuine big time is promised all who go. The Scelzi Orchestra is composed of a number of popular musicians of the city, all of whom will be present and furnish the music

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OUTING GIVEN YESTERDAY TO INMATES OF HOME

A delightful outing was given the inmates of the Catherine Kennedy Home at Wrightsville Beach yesterday by Mrs. Chas. D. Foard. A special car was chartered and a splendid dinner was served them at the Hanover Inn. In so generously remembering these ladies Mrs. Foard has given them untold pleasure, and the day will always be a green spot in their memories. The officers of the Ladies' Benevolent Society desire to give this public expression of their thanks to Mrs. Foard for her kindly thought of the pleasure and comfort of the old ladies who are in their care, and feel confident that the pleasure she has given will be returned to her ten-fold in the consciousness of having performed this unusual kindly deed. The officers of the society are: Mrs. Roger Moore, president; Mrs. Phil. Pearsall, vice president; Miss Bessie Bolles, secretary; Mrs. W. R. French, treasurer.

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF WEDDING OF INTEREST IN WILMINGTON

Friends in this city have received announcements reading as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Shelton J. Gunn
announce the marriage of their
daughter
Dorothy Cordia
to
James B. Adkins
on Friday, July the nineteenth
Nineteen hundred and twelve
Jacksonville, Florida.
At Home
after August 1st,
225 Whitaker street,
Savannah, Ga.

The groom has many friends in Wilmington, where he has made his home for some time, who will be interested in the announcement of his marriage. He is a civil engineer and is connected with the Atlantic Coast Line, with headquarters in this city.

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Atkinson, N. C., July 31.—For the past ten days Mrs. J. R. Hawes and Miss Kate Hawes have been the hostess of a most delightful house party. The guests arrived Saturday, July 20. On Monday evening Moore's Creek battleground was visited and a moonlight luncheon served. Tuesday evening Mrs. J. R. Hawes entertained. The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion and in the receiving line were the guests of honor. Games were played and the prize was won by Miss Jennie Dixon. After a course of delicate ices, Miss Decie Howell charmed the guests with several vocal solos. Thursday evening Miss Kate Hawes gave a Japanese fete. Progressive hearts was the game and the prize given to Miss Anna Pierce. Later ice cream and cake was served in the rustic cozy corners on the lawn. The party left Friday morning for Wrightsville Beach. The pleasures of the beach were greatly enjoyed and one of the most pleasant features was a trip to sea given by Dr. S. J. Hawes. Those enjoying the house party were: Misses Decie Howell, of Tarboro; Jennie Dixon, of Rocky Mount; Nellie Hines, of Wilton; Anna Pierce, of Warsaw; Geneva Moore, of Burgaw. Mr. S. J. Hawes, of Dover; Messrs. Eugene, Lee and Joe Wilson, of Dunn; Kenneth Denny, of Red Springs, and E. A. Hawes, Jr., of Atkinson.

Keep out the flies and you will keep out disease.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. N. Mosely, of Loris, S. C., was a visitor to the city yesterday.

—Mr. J. R. Barden, of Warsaw, spent yesterday in the city on business.

—Mr. E. R. Ellerbe, cashier of the First National Bank of Hartsville, S. C., was a visitor in the city yesterday.

—Among the arrivals yesterday at the Colonial Inn were: B. R. Avant, Jonesboro; W. L. Hobgood, Richmond; H. Jacob, Charlotte; Jas. Dawson, Gulfport, Miss.; A. Haskins, Kinston; J. C. Allen and W. T. Rainly, Salisbury.

—Arrivals yesterday at The Southern included W. F. Flynn, Currie; R. Elwell, Burgaw; J. F. Lyle, Castle Haynes; L. R. Lyon, Mr. and Mrs. G. Smith and Miss Lillian Smith, Kelly; A. H. Seawell, Graham; G. E. York, Greensboro, N. C.; C. L. Hunt, and M. E. Hunt, Jacksonville.

PLANS FOR ENTERTAINMENT.

No Effort Will be Spared to Give County Solons Enjoyable Time.

For the purpose of arranging means of entertaining the County Commissioners of the State, who will hold their annual convention at the Ocean Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, August 14th, 15th and 16th, a meeting of the entertainment committee of the Chamber of Commerce was held at the rooms of the Chamber yesterday. Present were three members of the committee, Col. J. VanB. Metts, chairman, and Mr. J. H. Watters and Jos. W. Little, Esq., also Mr. D. McEachern chairman of the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover county and president of the State Association of County Commissioners.

It was decided to take the visiting commissioners over the roads of New Hanover county in automobiles, with possibly a watermelon feast as a feature of the trip, and also take them out to the county rock quarry, and show them the difficulties which this county has to contend with in being forced to go so deep in the ground for its rock supply, while so many of the counties have surface rock available for road material. It was also decided to give the visitors a banquet on the beach and to give them a trip up and down the Cape Fear river, with possibly some other features of entertainment.

A committee will be appointed to raise money for the purpose of entertaining the visiting Commissioners. At the meeting yesterday it was decided that about $300 or $350 would be required for this purpose. A meeting of the executive committee of the Chamber of Commerce will be held within the next few days and it is probable that the Chamber will contribute to the entertainment fund. The committee to be appointed will raise the remainder of the amount by personal solicitation. A member of the entertainment committee said last night that no effort would be spared make the visit of the Commissioners here a memorable and enojyable one.

The value of canned pineapples shipped from Hawaii during the fiscal year of 1911 amounted to $2,000,000.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer: "The dwelling of Mr. J. D. Smith at Hope Mills was destroyed by fire last night. All of the furniture and household effects were saved, but some of it in a damaged state. There was a small amount of insurance on the house."

—A fire at 720 Church street, the home of Emma Green, colored, called the department out yesterday morning at 11:25 o'clock, the alarm coming in from box 51. The blaze started from a spark from the chimney and was extinguished in short order. Damage amounted to about $25, fully covered by insurance.

—There can be no mistake about it, for the "town's gone dry." Policeman John W. Smith late last night at Water and Grace streets killed a "sting" snake of several feet in length. When found by the officer the reptile had a cat under its charm and was striking at the feline with its tail in the end of which is a peculiar, deadly stinger, which was quite plainly in evidence after the snake was killed.

HEARING ON MOTION.

Injunction Proceedings Before Judge Carter Yesterday.

The motion on the temporary injunction granted by Judge Carter in Superior Court Tuesday, enjoining and restraining the Seaboard Air Line from proceeding further to locate a crossing or frog on a spur track operated on the local yards jointly by the Seaboard and Atlantic Coast Line roads, was argued before Judge Carter yesterday afternoon, following the recess of Superior Court. The argument was to have been before Judge Carter at Clinton on August 9th, but it was found that the matter could be reached yesterday. The motion cited the defendant to show cause why the injunction should not be continued until the case is heard. Davis & Davis and Geo. B. Elliott, Esq., appeared for the Coast Line, and Jno. D. Bellamy & Son for the defendant.

After hearing the matter, Judge Carter took the case under advisement and will render his decision later.

Bank Appointed Receiver.

The Atlantic Trust & Banking Company has been appointed receiver of the Kanawha Lumber Company, of Conway, S. C., relieving Mr. Wm. H. Chadbourn, who was appointed receiver, but whose ill health made it necessary for him to resign. The appointment was made through the Federal courts of Virginia and South Carolina. Mr. Chas. N. Evans, president of the Atlantic Trust & Banking Company, went to Southport yesteday and took over the assets of the company, amounting to about $40,000, and the bank will proceed to wind up the affairs of the lumber company.

Three good pictures and fine music can be seen and heard for the small sum of five cents at the Grand Theatre day and night. **

Read Star Business Locals.

WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH

The regular weekly children's souvenir dance at the Oceanic Hotel was given yesterday morning and was largely attended by the children at the popular hotel and at the other hotels and boarding houses at the resort.

Yesterday's Charlotte News: "Mrs. Wade H. Harris and daughter, Mrs. Cora Annette Harris, Mrs. Harris' niece, Miss Elizabeth Ebeltaft, returnturn to the city tomorrow night from Wrightsville Beach, where they have been spending a week."

Mrs. Pearson will sing at Lumina tonight at the intermission between the dances. She will make her first appearance at 9:15 P. M. The two songs selected for tonight are: "The Rosary" and "The Red, Red Rose," the latter being the song hit of "He came From Milwaukee."

Yesterday afternoon's Charlotte Chronicle: "Mr. and Mrs. J. Latimer McClintock have returned home from Wrightsville Beach, where they spent a week as guests at the Seashore Hotel.——Dr. and Mrs. William Allan will leave tonight for Wrightsville Beach, where they will spend a week or 10 days."

A great many arrivals are expected today and tomorrow from Atlanta and other points in Georgia over the Seaboard Air Line. The Seaboard is now advertising a rate of $6 from Atlanta to Wrightsville Beach and return. A ticket purchased at this rate is good for six days. This very low rate is expected to result in the visit of a larger number of Georgians than usual during the month of August.

A very delightful sailing party was given last night from the Oceanic Hotel, complimentary to Mrs. Harrison S. Penn, of Baltimore and Atlanta, by Mr. Archie E. Barnes, of Virginia. The party went out in the sharpie Edwin and after cruising about Banks Channel for an hour or two they returned to the hotel, where dainty refreshments were served in the tower. Many of Mrs. Penn's Atlanta friends were in the party.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Brown, Miss Thelma Brown, Paul and Robert Brown and H. J. Lee, of Atlanta, compose a party that arrived at the Seashore Hotel yesterday for a stay of some days. Other arrivals at the Seashore yesterday were E. A. Orr, Denver, Colo.; W. H. Ruff, Charleston; Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Glover, Raleigh; F. W. Prince, Chicago; J. B. Powell, Rocky Mount; W. M. Kenedy, Atlanta; Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Tedder, Charlotte.

The fireworks display to be given Monday night in front of Lumina promises to be a very elaborate one. There are over 160 pieces in the exhibition which includes streamer rockets, colored serpent rockets, golden star rockets, floating balloons, parachute rockets, floral bombs, meteoric showers, mines exploding sprays of flowers, gyrating serpents, showers of colored stars, beugola lights with red, green and blue illumination, candle cascades and other pieces too numerous to mention. The collection includes some water fireworks.

Prof. John F. Kneisel promises an unusually fine musical entertainment at the concert that is to be given at Lumina next Sunday night with the enlarged orchestra of 18 pieces. An elaborate programme has been prepared for this concert which includes "Gloria" from "Twelfth Mass" by Gounod; "Calvary" by Paul Rodney; prelude from "Cavalleria Rusticana", by Mascagni; Sanctus from "St. Cecelia's Mass", by Gounod; Largo from "Xerxes", by Handel; overture from "Die Schoene Galatea'" by Von Suppe; "Religioso", a march by Paris Chambers. Prof. Kneisel has made arrangements to have an organ at Lumina for this occasion to be used in certain of the numbers.

Yesterday's arrivals at the Oceanic Hotel included the following: S. A. L. Johnson and Miss Annie Stewart, Abbottsburg; T. L. Lee and P. J. Leach, Savannah; E. W. Rowland, Sanford, Fla.; E. S. Moore, Richmond; James Ker, Charlotte; A. Damason, Atlanta; Frank S. Wilson, Richmond; Whit Ruark, Southport; L. W. Oden, W. A. Dunn and R. W. Dunn, Raleigh; W. H. Dunn and C. N. Dunn, Fayetteville; J. C. Robertson, Rockingham; O. D. King Albemarle; Miss Mayme McGreen, Gainesville, Fla.; Miss Ethel E. Dixon, Hendersonville; J. C. Hinson, Rockingham; E. W. Mitchell and W. H. Shearin, Jacksonville, Fla.; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Carlton, Atlanta; Miss McDonald and Miss Walbolton, Rockingham, Ga.; Mrs. Eugene Wilner and Mrs. R. C. Belnett, Atlanta.

AMERICANS HANGED

Rebels Perhaps Want to Get United States to Intervene

Mexico City, July 31.—Two Americans were hanged near Cananea, Sonora, within the past 48 hours. Their bodies were found today and the incident reported to President Madero tonight by the Governor of Sonora. The Governor has ordered an investigation. He believes the two men were executed by rebels in ordr to precipitate American intervention. The victims have not been identified.

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FINE CONCERT LAST NIGHT.

Orphan Singing Class Entertainment Was Delightful.

One of the most enjoyable amateur talent entertainments ever heard in the Academy of Music was the concert given by the orphan singing class from the Odd Fellows' Home at Goldsboro last evening. The attendance was considered excellent in view of the warm weather, and included a large number of the local Odd Fellows and their families, as well as many not directly connected with the order.

The numbers were uniformly excellent and to mention one or two would be to do an injustice to the others. The little performers reflect much credit upon Miss Lillian R. McDonald, their teacher.

The class will go to Southport this morning and give a concert there tonight. Returning here tomorrow they will go for a tour up the W. & W. road, giving a number of concerts along the line.

THE RECORDER'S COURT

Negro Sent to Roads for Six Months—Pawnbroker Fined

The more important cases in the Recorder's court were postponed yesterday morning until next week, and the session was not a long one. The cases against J. R. Kennedy and his clerks at the Princess Cafe, and S. H. Mintz, all charged with violations of the prohibition law, were continued until Monday.

Willie Eagles, colored, was found guilty of the larceny of a gold watch from Mr. W. C. Denny, of the Southern National Bank, and was sentenced to six months on the county roads. The negro has heretofore been employed as a porter at the bank. H. Land, a white pawnbroker, was convicted on a charge of receiving stolen goods and refusing to give them up, and was fined $25 and costs. E. Haywood and Elijah Gause, colored, were fined $10 and costs each for cruelty to animals. A case against Emanuel Southerland, charging larceny, was nol prossed.

Take the Children

Fireworks Exhibition Monday night in front of Lumina, 9 P. M. 160 different pieces, including rockets, bombs, mines, electric fountains, aerolite shells, exhibition mines, meteoric showers and water fireworks. Plenty of car service. **

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Financial and Commercial

COTTON PARTIALLY RECOVERS

Day's Loss on Tuesday Nearly Made Up, But Market Is Very Nervous—Western Forecasts Important Factor

New York, July 31.—The cotton market recovered part of yesterday's big loss during today's trading, but remained very nervous, and closed barely steady, although last prices showed a net gain of from 9 to 16 points.

The opening was steady, at a decline of 16 points on August and of 2 to 5 points on later months, under a renewal of yesterday's selling movement, and in sympathy with weak cables. August quickly recovered its loss on a little trade buying, as there were very few sellers at the decline, and the whole list firmed up shortly after the call as a result of covering or rebuying by old longs, who claimed there was nothing in the official weather news to indicate that Texas had yet received enough moisture to materially relieve the droughty conditions. The Western belt forecast was for unsettled weather, but the only showers predicted for Texas were for the extreme eastern part of the State, and following the official weather details for the Houston district, showing only a few scattering showers with continued high temperatures at many points, the market advanced sharply. From 12.78, the low point of the morning December contracts sold up to 13.03 during the early afternoon and the general list worked up to a net advance of from 16 to 21 points on active covering by recent sellers and rumors that some of the big sold-out bulls were replacing their lines.

Offerings increased on this advance, and the market reacted several points with fluctuations nervous and irregular in the late trading, and with the close some six or seven points off from the best on active months. A private crop report issued at midday made the condition 78.2 per cent., compared with 82.9 last month. The government's August bureau is due at noon on Friday, and a couple of private reports are expected tomorrow.

Receipts, 1,782 against 1,390 last week, and 2,078 last year. Today's receipts at Galveston, 69 bales, against 1,868 last year; at New Orleans, 665, against 14 last year, and at Houston, 229, against 1,711 last year.

Spot closed quiet. Middling uplands, 13.20; gulf, 13.45. Sales, 2,255 bales.

Futures closed barely steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan	12.75	12.97	12.75	12.90
Feb	.....	.....	.....	12.93
Mar	12.87	13.07	12.87	12.99
May	12.95	13.13	12.95	13.07
July	12.25	12.67	12.54	.....
Aug	12.37	12.70	12.36	12.67
Sept	12.40	12.65	12.65	12.77
Oct	12.71	12.97	12.70	12.91
Nov	.....	12.83	12.83	12.95
Dec	12.79	13.03	12.78	12.98

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Firm, 13 5-16; net receipts, 69; gross receipts, 69; sales, 207; stock, 23,045; continent, 1,624; constwise, 231.

New Orleans—Quiet, 13¼; net receipts, 665; gross receipts, 665; sales, 314; stock, 27,636;; Great Britain, 3,000; continent, 3,600; coastwise, 1,368.

Mobile—Stock, 461; coastwise, 25.

Savannah—Steady, 12¾; net receipts, 188; gross receipts, 188; sales, 13; stock, 21,974; continent, 245; coastwise, 553.

Charleston—Nominal; net receipts, 5; gross receipts, 5; stock, 3,325; coastwise, 898.

Wilmington—Nominal; stock, 421.

Norfolk—Steady, 13½; net receipts, 82; gross receipts, 82; sales, 313; stock, 19,460.

Baltimore—Nominal, 13¾; net receipts, 742; gross receipts, 742; stock, 3,887.

New York—Quiet, 13.20; gross receipts, 278; sales, 2,255; stock, 128,805; Great Britain, 1,490; coastwise, 287.

Boston—Quiet, 13.20; net receipts, 31; gross receipts, 998; stock, 8,505.

Philadelphia—Steady, 13.45; gross receipts, 383; stock, 975.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 1,782; Great Britain, 4,490; continent, 5,469; stock, 238,524.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 7,221; Great Britain, 7,096; France, 75; continent, 12,145; Mexico, 48.

Total since Sept 1, at all ports—Net, 11,847,331; Great Britain, 4,141,535; France, 1,161,666; continent, 4,445,059; Japan, 512,196; Mexico, 8,961.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 13 5-16; net receipts, 229; gross receipts, 229; shipments, 181; sales, 428; stock, 19,559.

Augusta—Quiet, 13½; net receipts, 141; gross receipts, 287; shipments, 643; sales, 10; stock, 22,683.

Memphis—Steady, 13¼; net receipts, 28; gross receipts, 148; shipments, 615; sales, 100; stock, 9,852.

St. Louis—Steady, 13¼; net receipts, 79; gross receipts, 107; stock, 5,829.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 189; gross receipts, 189; shipments, 56; stock, 22,978.

Little Rock—Steady, 12¾; net receipts, 13; gross receipts, 13; shipments, 182; stock, 4,408.

Total today—Net receipts, 600; gross receipts, 945; shipments, 1,784; sales, 538; stock, 85,300.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

Liverpool, July 31.—Spot, quiet. Prices, 11 points lower. American middling fair, 8.18; good middling, 7.78; middling, 7.42; low middling, 7.18; good ordinary, 6.70; ordinary, 6.22.

Sales, 7,000 bales, including 5,600 American. Receipts, 5,000, including 4,500 American.

Futures opened easy and closed firm. August, 7.16½; August and September, 7.10; September and October, 6.99½; October and November, 6.92½; November and December, 6.86½; December and January, 6.86; January and February, 6.86; February and March, 6.86½; March and April, 6.87½; April and May, 6.88; May and June, 6.89.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, July 31.—Rosin, steady. Turpentine, easy.

Charleston, July) 31.—Turpentine, firm, 43¾.

Rosin — Firm. Quote: B, 6.32½; E, 6.67½; F, 6.77½; G, 6.77½; H, 6.77½; I, 6.77½; K, 6.77½; M, 6.77½; N, 7.15; W G, 7.45; W W, 7.70.

Savannah, July 31.—Turpentine, firm, at 42½@42¾; sales, 1,328; receipts, 1,325; shipments, 387; stock, 35,143.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 3,067; receipts, 2,958; shipments, 8,243; stock, 104,096. Quote: B, 6.35@6.37½; D, 6.60; E, 6.65@6.75; F, 6.70@6.80; G, 6.70@6.80; H, 6.70@6.80; I, 6.70@6.84; K, 6.75@6.85; M, 6.90; N, 7.20; W G, 7.50; W W, 7.70.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, July 31.—Prime mercantile paper, 4¾@5 per cent. Sterling exchange, weak, at 4.8450 for sixty day bills, 4.8725 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.83¾.

Money on call, steady, at 2½@2¾; ruling rate, 2¾. Time loans, strong; sixty days, 3½ per cent, Six months, 4¾ to 5 per cent.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, July 31.—Cotton goods ruled very firm, with business of better proportion. Corporation dress goods for Spring will be opened tomorrow by two of the leading factors. Jobbers report a fair trade in nearly all departments, but local retail trade is slow.

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Take the Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC. You know what you are taking. The formula is plainly printed on every bottle, showing it is simply Quinine and Iron in a tasteless form, and the most effectual form for grown people and children 50c.

GRAIN WHIRLED RAPIDLY

July Wheat to Pieces on Chicago Market Yesterday—Latest Trading Left Corn Slightly Off—Provisions Strong

Chicago, July 31.—July grain prices whirled rapidly today in the last 15 minutes before the business in that month's delivery came to an end. July wheat went to pieces. It broke eight cents from the top point of the session and closed 6½ under yesterday's finish.

Unloading by a few longs who had miscalculated that there would be a lively demand was the reason. Other wheat futures closed ¼ to ⅝ to ½c. down. Latest trading left corn ¼c. off to ⅜c. up; oats, ⅛ down to 2½c. advance, and provisions strung out from 17½ under last night to 2½c. above.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.00@1.05; No. 2, hard, 94½@95½.

Corn—No. 3, 73@73½; No. 3, yellow, 73½@74.

Oats—No. 3, —; standard, old, 51@53; new, 39@43.

Wheat—July, 92½; Sept., 93½; Dec., 95⅝; May, 99½.

Corn—July, 72 to 72¾; September, 68¾; May, 58½; Dec., 57¼.

Oats—July, 51; Sept., 32¾@33; December, 34¼; May, 36⅜@36⅞.

Pork—July, 17.92½; September, 18.00@18.02½; October, 18.10; January, 18.62½

Lard—July, 10.57½; Sept., 10.70@10.72½; October, 10.77½; January, 10.47½.

Ribs—July, 10.52½; September, 10.57½; October, 10.52½; January, 9.77½.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Schooners.

Stephen G. Loud, 400 tons, Graham, Mafflitt & Wood; in distress.

Anna R. Heidritter, 610 tons, Beam, Mafflitt & Wood.

Greenleaf Johnson, 322 tons, Longstreet, Mafflitt & Wood.

Victor C. Records, 263 tons, Griffith, Mafflitt & Wood.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at the Port of Wilmington.

Wilmington, N. C., July 31.

Atlantic Coast Line—7 barrels rosin; 7 barrels tar; 26 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—6 casks spirits turpentine; 32 barrels rosin.

Str. Alice—8 casks spirits turpentine.

Total—14 casks spirits turpentine; 39 barrels rosin; 7 barrels tar; 26 barrels crude turpentine.

PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, July 31.—Flour, steady, with a fair jobbing trade.

Rye Flour—Quiet.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Rye—Steady.

Barley—Nominal.

Wheat—Spot, irregular; No. 2, red, 1.09 c.i.f. track, and 110 f.o.b. afloat. Futures unchanged to ¼c. net lower. September, 1.01 5-16; December, 1.03⅜.

Corn — Spot, firm; export, 82½ f.o.b. afloat.

Oats—Spot, steady.

Pork—Steady.

Cut Meats—Steady.

Beef—Steady.

Lard—Barely steady.

Tallow—Steady.

Petroleum—Easy.

Wool—Quiet.

Rice—Firm.

Molasses—Quiet.

Sugar—Raw, steady; refined, quiet.

Butter—Irregular.

Cheese—Steady.

Eggs—Steady.

Coffee—Rio, No. 7, 14 3-16. Futures, steady. September, 12.80; March, 13.09.

Potatoes—Easy.

Cabbages—Easy.

Freights—Unchanged.

Peanuts—Unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Steady for spot, but a trifle easier for futures, under scattered local selling, poor outside demand and with the lower lard market. Futures closed generally 1@2 points net lower. August, 6.57@6.61; September, 6.64@6.68; October, 6.73@6.74; November, 6.39@6.42; December, 6.30@6.32. Prime crude, nominal, and prime Summer yellow, 6.55@6.75; do. Winter yellow, 6.70@7.50; do. Summer white, 6.75@7.50.

WILMINGTON MARKETS

STAR OFFICE, July 31.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady, at 41¾c. per gallon.

ROSIN—Firm, $6.10 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm, $2.10 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, $3.25 per barrel for hard; $4.75 for dip; $4.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 47¾c.; rosin, $4.80; tar, $2.00; crude turpentine, $3.00 for hard, $4.50 for dip, $4.60 for virgin.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	14
Rosin	39
Tar	7
Crude Turpentine	26

Receipts same day last year, 61 casks spirits turpentine; 149 barrels rosin; 15 barrels tar; 43 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year—Nothing doing.

Receipts—No bales; same day last year, none.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, July 30.)

CORN—Firm; $1.05 per bu.

PEAS—White, no sales. Mixed, $1.60.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, 85c. to 95c. per bu.

BEEF—On foot, good demand, 3@4c. per lb.; dressed, 8c.

PORK—Small, 10@11c.

WOOL—Burry, .11@.12c. per lb.; free of burr, 16c. per lb.

HIDES—Green, 8 to 8½c. per lb.; dry, 13 to 15c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 17 to 18c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 13c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; 27@28c. per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; 4¼ to 5c. per lb.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 40 to 45c. per head; chickens, Spring, 15c. to 30c. per head.

SHEEP—Old, $1.00@$2.50; lambs, $1.00 @$3.00.

EGGS—Very dull, 17 to 18c.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, July 16.

Market—Steady.

North Carolinas—Farmers' stock: Prime hand-picked, 70@75c.; machine-picked, 65@70c.

Spanish—Prime hand picked, $1.00; machine picked, 95c.

Virginias—Prime hand-picked, 88c.; machine picked, 80c.

Indian Killed on Track.

Near Rochelle, Ill., an Indian went to sleep on a railroad track and was killed by the fast express. He paid for his carelessness with his life. Often it's that way when people neglect coughs and colds. Don't risk your life when prompt use of Dr. King's New Discovery will cure them and so prevent a dangerous throat or lung trouble. "It completely cured me, in a short time of a terrible cough that followed a severe attack of grip," writes J. R. Watts, Floydada, Tex., "and I regained 15 pounds in weight that I had lost." Quick, safe, reliable and guaranteed. 50c and $1.00. Trial bot- ju 16-15t.

HARDENING OF STOCK PRICES

Steel Shares Again Most Active Feature of Yesterday's Market—Advices Concerning Industry Encouraging.

New York, July 31.—Early dealings in stocks today indicated a degree of indecision, followed later by a general hardening of prices. To what extend the statement of the United States Steel Corporation was responsible for the movement must remain a matter of conjecture, but steel shares were again the most active feature with evidence of what is technically called "good buying."

Only in a comparative sense, however, can the steel report for the second quarter of the year be regarded as favorable. The common dividend barely was earned, and there still remains a large deficit to be overcome in the remaining six months. Advices from authoritative sources respecting the steel industry remain highly encouraging, embracing not only additional price advances, but further proof of unappeased demand to the extent that premiums continue to be offered for quick deliveries.

The list moved upward as the session progressed, but gains were most marked in specialties. A notable exception was Canadian Pacific, which established a record price, accompanied by the usual rumors of an "extra" dividend or "rights."

More likely the new high record resulted chiefly from remarkable June earnings reported by the road. Shares of Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste Marie controlled by Canadian Pacific, also registered a substantial advance. Hill issues, St. Paul and Union Pacific again responded to optimistic crop news with a better tone to the coniers, while Biscuit and the Tobaccos lead the specialties, with some prominence in Bethlehem Steel, preferred.

Bonds were irregular, with trifling changes. Total sales, par value, amounted to $1,928,000. United States government bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales, 306,900 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Amalgamated Copper	83
American Agricultural	60¼
American Beet Sugar	70¾
American Can	37⅜
American Can, pfd	117⅝
American Car and Foundry	59
American Cotton Oil	53
American Ice Securities	26
American Linseed	13¼
American Locomolve	43
American Smelting and Ref.	83¼
Amer. Smelting and Ref., pfd	108
American Sugar Refining	126⅜
American Tel and Tel	145½
American Tobacco	299½
Anaconda Mining Co	41⅝
Atchison (ex. div.)	107⅜
Atchison, pfd	102¼
Atlantic Coast Line	140½
Baltimore and Ohio	110⅝
Bethlehem Steel	35¾
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	92⅛
Canadian Pacific	271½
Central Leather	26½
Chesapeake and Ohio	58⅞
Chicago Great Western	17
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	105⅛
Chicago and Northwestern	138½
Colorado Fuel and Iron	30½
Consolidated Gas	143⅞
Corn Products	14
Delaware and Hudson	167½
Denver and Rio Grande	19
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	35
Distillers' Securities	32
Erie	35⅞
Erie, 1st pfd	53¾
Erie, 2nd pfd	43¾
General Electric	182
Great Northern, pfd	140½
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	42½
Illinois Central	133¼
Interborough-Met	20¼
Interborough-Met., pfd	58⅝
Inter Harvester	120
Inter-Marine, pfd	15⅞
International Paper	15⅞
International Pump	26
Kansas City Southern	24½
Laclede Gas	106½
Lehigh Valley	167½
Louisville and Nashville	157½
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	150
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	26¾
Missouri Pacific	36½
National Biscuit	140⅞
National Lead	58¾
Nat. Rys. of Mexico, 2nd pfd	30
New York Central	116
New York, Ontario and Western	32½
Norfolk and Western	118¼
North American	82¾
Northern Pacific	124⅝
Pacific Mail	30½
Pennsylvania	123½
People's Gas	116
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	108½
Pittsburg Coal	20⅜
Pressed Steel Car	35¾
Pullman Palace Car (ex. div.)	160
Reading	165⅝
Republic Iron and Steel	26
Republic Iron and Steel, pfd	84¼
Rock Island Co	25
Rock Island Co., pfd	49⅜
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	33¾
Seaboard Air Line	23½
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	53½
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	55½
Southern Pacific	110⅝
Southern Railway	29
Southern Railway, pfd	77¼
Tennessee Copper	42¾
Texas and Pacific	21
Union Pacific	169⅝
Union Pacific, pfd	90
United States Realty	82
United States Rubber	52
United States Steel	70⅞
United States Steel, pfd	112¼
Utah Copper	62
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	49⅝
Wabash	5½
Wabash, pfd	15¼
Western Maryland	57¾
Western Union	81⅝
Westinghouse Electric	80
Wheeling and Lake Erie	6½

We trust that there is no significance in the fact that a heavy frost occurred in Vermont on the morning that Taft headquarters were opened in the State.—Washington Post.

Many of the people of Germany get their milk supplies from stores or perambulatory wagons in bulk.

Hear Mrs. Pearson Sing.

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THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

Aug. 1, 1912.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 79 degrees; at 8 P. M., 82 degrees; maximum, 90 degrees; minimum, 74 degrees; mean, 82 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month, to date, 2.98.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 2.5 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Local showers Thursday and Friday.

Port Calendar—Aug. 1.

Sun rises	5:23 A. M.
Sun sets	7:13 P. M.
Day's length	13 hrs. 50 min.

Tides.

	High water. A.M.	High water. P.M.	Low water. A.M.	Low water. P.M.
Wilmington	12:01	.....	6:45	6:52
Southport	9:34	9:53	3:47	3:47
Masonboro Inlet	9:05	9:24	3:18	3:18

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

July 31, 1912.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature. Highest today.	Temperature. Lowest last night.	24-hour precipitation, 8 P. M.
Abilene	clear	100	78	.0
Asheville	raining	74	56	.40
Atlanta	cloudy	88	70	.32
Augusta	cloudy	92	68	.0
Birmingham	cloudy	88	72	.88
Boston	clear	72	60	.0
Charleston	cloudy	92	74	.0
Charlotte	cloudy	86	64	.02
Chicago	clear	66	62	.0
Galveston	clear	88	80	.0
Jacksonville	cloudy	92	76	.0
Memphis	pt cldy	84	76	.0
Mobile	cloudy	92	78	.0
Montgomery	cloudy	94	72	.0
New Orleans	cloudy	94	80	.0
New York	raining	76	66	.02
Oklahoma	clear	88	68	.0
Pittsburg	pt cldy	72	60	.14
Raleigh	cloudy	90	66	.0
Savannah	cloudy	94	72	.0
Shreveport	clear	88	78	2.44
St. Louis	clear	82	68	.0
Washington	cloudy	82	60	.0

THE STORY OF "TIGER JOE."

Say, partner, what might be your job
Detective? No; well say,
Ain't it strange that a full grown cuss like you'd
Go nosing around this way?
Tut, tut, don't rile so sudden now,
Don't kick at every slip,
I'm off any feet at a time like this
And my tongue's kinder lost its grip.
I'll tell you a tale of ole Joe Bass,
We called him "Tiger Joe."
You never have heard the tale? Well, son,
It's one that you ought to know.
Old Joe kept down near the water front,
His number was One, Two, Three.
And a dangerous place for a cuss like you,
For his ways were a little free.
Though few there came and asked in vain
Who asked of "Tiger Joe."
For he'd spend his last on a foaming glass
And stake his life on a friend's say so.

'Twas a tough hard crowd that would gather there,
But Joe, I guess, was wurst.
He was square and white but a morbid cuss
And, stranger, he had a thirst.
'Twould dry the bed of the red Cape Fear,
From bank to bank, and say,
He'd cuss till the boys got nervous, like,
In the most amazing way.
But pard, Ole Joe had a soul inside
As white as the drifting snow,
And what Joe had, for a friend in need
Was as free as the winds that blow.
But none of us knew how big the heart
That beat in Old Joe's breast,
'Till that day when a cuss about your size
Swore out Old Joe's arrest.
The judge said, "Joe, who pleads for you?"
A lawyer said, "I do."
"For years at this bar I've plead the law,
But now I shall plead to you."

The State had rested its case, and well
Had proven old Joe's guilt,
And everything there in the crowd was hushed
Awaiting the legal tilt.
Joe's lawyer rose, "May it please the Court,
We offer no evidence,
But a plain unvarnished tale I'll tell,
And it shall be our defense."
Pard, you ought to have heard that tale,
'Twas eighteen carat gold,
Of a helping hand in the time of need
To the poor, infirm and old,
Of silent aid in secret lent,
Of tears he had wiped away,
And little children's voices spoke,
In the lawyer's voice that day,
And God's humble poor that blessed Old Joe
Passed by in a mighty throng
And the ermine fell, and the crowd beheld
A Judge of the right and wrong.

"Not guilty," the judge said stern and loud,
"Let the defendant go,"
And the crowd surged up to the bar and grasped
The hand of "Tiger Joe."
"Boys, my life has been full of sin,
But I've seen the light at last,
And I'm waiting the time to come and prove
How I'll redeem the past."
But I've got no faith but the fear of God
And the love of Man for Man,
For I've learned that the noblest creed on earth
Is the grip of a good right hand.
'Tis a sad old world at best my boy
And a grim fight every day,
But the firm hand clasp of a friend at last
Is the book to the open way.
And many there are that old Joe's shown
The way to the shining shore,
Though the ragged beat of tottering feet
Lead up to his open door.

—R. F. BROOKS.

Take the Children

Fireworks Exhibition Monday night in front of Lumina, 9 P. M. 160 different pieces, including rockets, bombs, mines, electric fountains, aerolite shells, exhibition mines, meteoric showers and water fireworks. Plenty of car service. **

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FORECLOSURE SALE.

By virtue of the provisions of a certain mortgage deed made by J. C. Jones and wife and J. R. Sherrill to A. S. Kirby, and duly registered on the records of New Hanover County, in Book 65, page 483, the undersigned will sell, to the highest bidder, at public auction, for cash, at the wood yard at the foot of Hanover street, in the City of Wilmington, on Saturday, the 10th day of August, 1912, at twelve o'clock M., the following personal property, to-wit: 3 dump carts, 2 drays, 4 mules, 2 horses, 1 gasoline engine (5-horse-power), 1 saw and 1 splitter and machinery connected therewith.

And the undersigned will also sell, at the Court House door of New Hanover County, on Wednesday, the 21st day of August, 1912, at twelve o'clock, M., that certain lot at Carolina Place, having a two-story dwelling thereon, beginning at the northeast intersection of Perry avenue and Eighteenth street; runs eastwardly along the line of Perry avenue 66 feet; thence northwardly 113 feet to an alley; thence westwardly along the line of said alley 66 feet to the eastern side of Eighteenth street 113 feet to the beginning, being part of Lots 11 and 12, block 31, according to the map of said Carolina Place.

Said sale to be made subject to prior mortgages to the Atlantic Trust & Banking Company and C. R. Spooner.

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By John D. Bellamy & Son, Attorneys.

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Wilmington to Niagara Falls, via Norfolk—$35.50.

Wilmington to Atlantic City, all rail $25.60.

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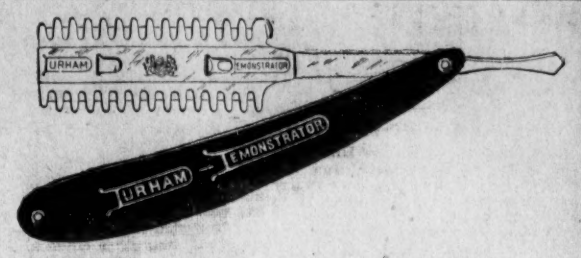

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ANOTHER CHAPTER ADDED YESTERDAY

(Continued from Page One.)

ber in front of the Murray Hill Baths and said: "Now, 'Bridgie,' you will have to give these boys some money to get out of town. I will fix it up with you later."

Webber said that he then handed $1,000 in large bills to Rose who later transferred it to Sam Schepps and on that afternoon Schepps gave it to "Gyp The Blood," and "Lefty Louis" in front of the Times building.

In corroboration of this assertion of Webber's the District Attorney has the names of two witnesse, one a woman, who, he said, would testify that they saw Webber and Rose talking to Becker in front of the Murray Hill Baths shortly after the murder.

Mr. Waldo Speaks.

New York, July 31.—Police Commissioner Waldo tonight made his first extended statement regarding police conditions which have been discussed so widely since the Rosenthal murder. The commissioner said that since he had been in charge of the police, the Mayor had given him absolutely free rein in the conduct of his office and that he welcomed any investigations.

"If there is a 'system' that is more corrupt than in previous years—indeed, if there is nearly so much collusion between members of the force and the criminal element as in any previous police administration of which there is record—I am here to accept the whole responsibility," the statement adds.

Mr. Waldo quotes numerous statistics showing that complaints of various crimes had greatly decreased during his administration, while convictions in many cases had increased. He continued:

"I have heard plenty of accusations, plenty of statements that gambling is more prevalent in this city than ever before, all sorts of vague charges and inuendoes. What I have not seen and should like very much to see is a list of notorious establishments that have not been visited by my men, closed and kept closed.

"Lieut. Becker may himself, for all I know, have murdered Rosenthal. The district attorney's office may have evidence that he was grafting, but it is an indisputable fact, a fact that can be verified, that his activities for this department were checked at every turn; that he could not have sold out, for he had nothing to sell. I had other men at work around and over him, men whose assignments he could not have known, who could not have known each other's assignments. These assignments for gambling raids have been shifted on many occasions and could be shifter at a moment's notice to any among such a number of men, that it would be necessary to accuse them all of being partners in the 'system' in order to establish the possibility of their working in concert."

TRAGEDY IN PARIS.

Deserted Wife of Englishman Shoots Down Another Woman.

Paris, July 31.—Mme. Block, a story writer and contributor to children's papers, today proceeded to the home of Mrs. Bridgeman, the wife of James E. Bridgman, an employe of the Paris agency of the New York Life Insurance Company, and shot her dead. Mrs. Bridgman, who was separated from her husband, was the daughter of Henry Berhard, of Milwaukee. The tragedy was the outcome of an attachment between Mme. Bloch's husband and Mrs. Bridgeman. Mme. Bloch seemed to be well satisfied with what she had done. She told the police that Mrs. Bridgeman had made her life almost unbearable for two years. Before she killed her Mme. Bloch read letters which her husband had written to her indicating that he still had affection for her. But Mrs. Bridgeman, she said, laughed in her face. It was then that she drew a revolver from her handbag and shot down the woman.

Interrogated by the examining magistrate, Mme. Bloch said defiantly: "I am at last avenged. My husband deserted his home to follow his mistress. I have no regret for an act of vengeance which cuts the knot."

Mr. Bridgeman is not an American. It is understood that he came here from England. He began suit for divorce six months ago.

THE HUFF CONTEMPT.

Judge Speer Wouldn't Try Case Involving Himself.

Macon, Ga., July 31.—Judge Emory Speer declined to try the contempt charge against Col. W. A. Huff, who yesterday was arrested on an attachment issued by Judge Speer for a letter in which Judge Speer's official and private character was attacked.

The judge at the hearing this morning overruled a demurrer of Col. Huff's counsel that he was out of jurisdiction in this case, as the matter was one for a grand jury to indict and a jury to try. Judge Speer entered into a long defense of himself and made a vigorous denial of all the charges, saying that none of Col. Huff's assertions were true. He wound up by saying he refused to try the case and that it would be necessary to get another judge.

Flying Men Fall

victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles just like other people, with like results in loss of appetite, backache, nervousness, headache, and tired, listless, run-down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that as T. D. Peebles, Henry, Tenn., proved. "Six bottles of Electric Bitters," he writes, "did more to give me new strength and good appetite than all other stomach remedies I used." So they help everybody. It's folly to suffer when this great remedy will help you from the first dose. Try it. Only 50 cents at R. R. Bellamy.

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C. L. Vann—Public Accountant.
Loris Lumber Co.—Building Material.

FALL ARMY WORM.

Present Outbreak and the Possibility of Its Control.

Washington, D. C., July 31.—The Department of Agriculture is using all the means at its disposal to meet the emergency caused by the very great destruction of crops in the South by the Fall army worm. This insect is present in unprecedented numbers from Louisiana and Arkansas eastward to the Atlantic ocean, and is destroying corn, cotton, sugar cane, rice, and other crops to such an extent as to cause great anxiety on the part of planters and others. By means of an emergency appropriation by Congress it is possible for the Department to render quick assistance.

Plans for this work, in co-operation with the States concerned, are being rapidly perfected. The insect will undoubtedly continue its ravages for some time, unless checked. In all probability, another brood will appear after the present one transforms in the ground. For these reasons immediate action toward destroying the worms is strongly advised.

The Department recommends the use of arsenicals. Among these are arsenate of lead, Paris green, London purple.

In most cases it will be best to apply these poisons in dry forms, instead of with water. Dry applications can be made by sifting the poisons upon the plants through light cloth sacks or by means of blowers or dusting machines. Liquid applications must be made with spraying apparatus to be effective. For this reason, the dry applications meet the present emergency better than liquid ones.

Arsenate of lead in powdered form is recommended above all other arsenicals because it will not injure the foliage of any of the field crops grown in the South. It may be applied without the addition of any carriers. Paris green is next in effectiveness, but should be mixed with its weight of air-slaked lime or flour, to prevent burning of the foliage, which is likely to occur if it is applied with air-slaked lime or flour, as recommended in the case of Paris green. Wherever it is feasible to use liquid sprays, arsenate of lead in powdered form should be used at the rate of 3 pounds per barrel of water. Paris green should be used at the rate of about 10 ounces per barrel. It is best in Case Paris green is used in this way to add 2 pounds of freshly slaked lime to prevent burning.

Whether dry or liquid preparations are used it is extremely important that the appications be made with thoroughness. In the case of corn, some of the poison should be placed in the heart of the plant, where the greatest damage is done. A small amount is all that is required to kill insects. In the case of cotton, powdered arsenate of lead should be applied at the rate of about 5 pounds per acre. The usual method of utilizing cloth sacks carried through the field on horseback is perfectly adapted to this crop.

On forage crops and others in the case of which unfortunate results might follow the use of arsenicals, other expedients must be adopted. In pastures and in some instances on alfalfa many of the worms can be destroyed by the use of rollers or drags. In alfalfa that would be injured by rolling or dragging, the plants should be cut for hay. When the worms are forced from the fields by this means, many can be killed by means of drags or by plowing them under when they make their way to other fields. Immediately after cutting, alfalfa fields should be thoroughly disced. This will kill many of the worms before they can leave and will braek up and destroy the cells of those that have gone into the ground for pupation.

The method of destroying the insects when they are in the quiet stage in the ground to which reference has just been made, is of importance next to the use of arsenicals in checking the pests. In fact, in many cases it is by far the most effective means that can be followed.

For fields threatened with invasion, but not actually attacked, a deep furrow should be plowed out around the entire circumference of the field; into this the caterpillars will fall, when they may be crushed by dragging a heavy log through the furrow. If the soil is such as to be somewhat impervious to water, this furrow may be kept partly filled with water, on the surface may be poured, which will kill the of which a small quantity of kerosine worms almost immediately when they come into contact with it.

Since the worms seem invariably to consume the grass and oth r vegetation growing in fields before attacking either corn or cotton, it should prove an important method of protection to spray or dust grass and weeds in corn fields threatened with attack with arsenate of lead, according to the methods advised above.

Throughout the greater part of the South there is likely to be another destructive brood of the army worm, which will come from the transformation of the present generation in the soil. Therefore, every effort should be made to break up the pupal cells, so that the next brood will not appear. This can be accomplished by the use of plows, cultivators and harrows.

Wherever any crop which can be tilled has been injured by the fall army worm, it is advised that further injury be prevented by the use of cultivators and harrows. Much good can also be accomplished by plowing fields or portions of fields where all of the crop has been destroyed. The treatment of bare places about cultivated fields in this way will be of assistance.

To summarize the situation, the Department recommends the speedy application of arsenical poisons and the working of the ground wherever practicable, in order to prevent further damage.

Warning—Great care should be taken that cattle and other stock are kept from pasturing in the fields where the grass or other crops have been poisoned with arsenicals; also that poisoned plants are not fed to stock.

JAMES WILSON,
Secretary of Agriculture.

The only way for two people in a family quarrel to settle it is for one of them to die.

Hear Mrs. Pearson Sing.

"The Rosary" and "The Red, Red Rose" at Lumina tonight. Time 9:15 and 9:30 P. M. **

FROM OYSTER BAY

Col. Roosevelt Discussing His Campaign to Follow Convention

Oyster Bay, N. Y., July 31.—With the preliminary organization of the National Progressive party virtually completed, Col. Roosevelt turned his attention today to plans for the campaign which is to begin soon after the Chicago convention. Harry F. Cochems, of Wisconsin, formerly a lieutenant of Senator LaFollette, who has been drafted for service in the National Progressive headquarters in New York, came to Oyster Bay to discuss with the ex-President, the line of attack in Wisconsin and other States in the Central West.

Col. Roosevelt expressed n concern at reports from Washington that only six or eight Republican members of Congress had decided to leave their party to join the National Progressive movement.

The opinion was expressed by associates of Col. Roosevelt that some "Progressive" Republican in Congress were waiting to see what happens at Chicago before taking a definite position. They hope for further accessions if the convention hears out the prophecy that there will be a representative gathering from every section of the country with full delegations from each and if it is decided to carry a militant campaign with Col. Roosevelt at the head o fthe ticket. It is planned to force Republican candidates, especially those in "Progressive" States, to declare themselves quickly as for or against Col. Roosevelt. Those who wish to remain on the Republican ticket and will agree to support the Roosevelt candidates for electors will not be opposed by National Progressive candidates. The others, according to the present plan, will be confronted by rivals on the National Progressive as well as the Democratic ticket.

It is Col. Roosevelt's intention to make as strong a fight as possible to obtain the election of National Progressive Congresmen, who would support him should he be elected and represent the ne wparty in Congress in event of hi defeat. Even Col. Roosevelt's son-in-law, Congressman Nicholas Longworth, of Cincinnati, is not to be exempt, it being planned to run a National Progressive candidate against him in his district.

Mr. Cochems said he regarded the outlook in Wisconsin as encouraging, despite the opposition of Senator LaFollette to Col. Roosevelt.

PROGRAMME AT CHICAGO

How National Progressive Deliberations Will Be Conducted

Chicago, July 31.—According to plans completed by leaders today the programme for the National Progressive convention next week will be practically as follows:

Monday, August 5th—Assembly of delegates at noon, preceded by procession of Confederate and Union Veterans to the platform; reading of call for National Progressive convention bylph C. Otis, chairman of the committee on arrangements; invocation; keynote speech by former United States Senator Beveridge, of Indiana, temporary chairman; temporary organization; adjournment, followed by committee meetings.

Tuesday, August 6th—Call to order; reports of committees, including those on credentials and permanent organization; establishment of permanent organization; adjournment at noon to hear Col. Roosevelt's speeches.

Wednesday, August 17t—Call to order; invocation; speeches of nomination and seconding speeches for President and Vice President; platform; final adjournment.

United States Senator Dixon, director of the Progressive campaign, announced tonight that the provisional National Progressive committee would meet at noon on Saturday to take up hearings of contests in the delegations from Georgia, Alabama and Mississippi. He also stated that Col. Roosevelt would deliver his address on delegates on Tuesday noon instead of on Monday night as originally announced.

NAVY YARD WORK.

Two Thousand Five Hundred Mechanics Return to Work at Norfolk.

Norfolk, Va., July 31.—After Rear Admiral R. M. Doyle, commanding the Norfolk Navy Yard had informed 2,500 mechanics' that they need not return to work tomorrow because Congress had failed to make the necessary appropriation to carrying on the work for the month of August, he received late tonight a telegram from Assistant Secretary of Navy Belknap telling him to keep the yard open and call the men back to work. Several battleships, including the Vermont and South Carolina, are receiving repairs at the local navy yard and had the men been kept from working, these ships would have been delayed in joining the Atlantic fleet for early Fall maneuvers.

It is expected that Congress will make the necessary appropriations tomorrow to carry on work at Norfolk and other navy yards throughout the country.

SUIT AGAINST ELLEN N.

Bank of New York Sues Out of Knight-Yancey Contracts

Chattanooga, Tenn., July 31.—Pleadings are being heard in Decautr, Ala., in the law and equity court in a case of the National Park Bank of New York against the Louisville & Nashville Railroad. This is a suit for $150,000 damages growing out of the Knight-Yancey Cotton Company failure.

The bank seeks to recover from the railroad $150,000, the value of bills of lading on cotton cashed by it for the defunct firm holding the railroad liable for the failure to deliver the cotton called for in the bills of lading.

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RALEIGH NOTES.

President Lamb on Visit—Marriage. Federal Court.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 31.—Mr. E. T. Lamb, retiring president of the Norfolk Southern Railroad Co., and Mr. B. L. Bugg, traffic manager, spent several hours here today on their way south.

This morning at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Green on Salisbury street, Mr. H. W. Pickett and Miss Buna Leigh, both of Durham, were united in marriage, Dr. O'Kelly, of the First Baptist church, officiating. They left for a trip to Asheville.

During the recent term of Federal Court here, Judge H. G. Connor presiding, there were 43 trials by jury and 21 convictions. Also there were 21 pleas of guilty entered without trial. Sixty-eight cases went before the grand jury on warrants from the district attorney and the grand jury returned only eight of these as "not true bills." Judgements were suspended in 23 cases and 43 others were continued under bond, seven were released on payment of fines and costs, nine sentenced to terms in the penitentiary and two to reformatory. The court was in progress ten days and was one of the busiest sessions on record.

MAY BE MARTIAL LAW

West Virginia Calls More Troops to The Coal Fields

Charleston, W. Va., July 31.—Governor Glasscock late today recalled Colonel R. L. Osborn and Major Jack Arnold with four companies of State militia from the Summer instruction camp at Mount Gretna, Pa., to do strike duty in the disturbed Paint Creek Mining district. This is the third call for troops made by the Governor within the past few days and brings the force of State soldiers in the trouble zone up to 700. No trouble was experienced at any point in the strike district today. It is said tonight that Governor Glasscock's purpose in ordering additional troops to the strike district was to prepare for any eventualities that may come up should a proclamation of martial law be announced. It is known that the executive has prepared the proclamation in advance.

Martial law may be declared tomorrow, it is said. At any event Saturday will probably see the State troops in complete control of the strike district. At that time the seven remaining companies of militia at Mount Gretna, Pa will have returned to the State.

BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOLS

Great Progress In State—Statistics by Secretary Middleton

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C. July 31.—Baptist State Sunday School Secretary E. L. Middleton declares the Baptist Sunday school outlook in North Carolina is very hopeful with a steady, healthful growth. During the six years from 1905 to 1911, the number of Sunday schools of the Baptist denomination in the State has increased from 1,290 to 1,850, a gain of 568, or 44 per cent. There have been about 70 new Sunday schools formed for Baptist churches and mission since March, of this year. The membership for the six years has increased from 104,534 to 174,384. He finds the normal training work carried on under the auspices of the Baptist State Sunday School Association making fine progress, nearly 2,000 Sunday school workers being enrolled. Only 636 diplomas had been issued one year ago, but during the past year the number climbed to 1,483, a gain of 116 per cent in one year.

Hear Mrs. Pearson Sing.

"The Rosary" and "The Red, Red Rose" at Lumina tonight. Time 9:15 and 9:30 P. M. **

Sense about 99 things out of 100 will never keep anybody from being a fool about the other one.

BUSINESS LOCALS

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STRAYED—From Winter Park Gardens, two fox terriers; white with black spots on ears and on back, near root of tails. Any information will be thankfully received. 'Phone 438. Call 2. au1-1t

FOR RENT—Large front room; nicely furnished and suitable for gentlemen. Apply to 414 Walnut street. au1-1t*

WANTED — Seven stenographers, four book-keepers, five clerks, $40 to $85; eleven laboring men, $2.50. Enclose 4c. stamps Wilmington Employment Agency, Box 834, 204 N. Front street. au1-1t*

WANTED—Three unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping; good locality. Address "E. T. F.," 21 Princess street. 'Phone 1485. au1-1t*

JOSEPH ABELOVITZ, of the firm of Abelovitz & Bro., has returned from the Northern markets with his designer, with a full line of latest goods for ladies' skirts and dresses. au1-1t*

SUITS TO ORDER—New Samples today; $13.48. Angora rugs, $1.50; 9x12 art squares, $10.00, at Bornemann's, "the store that sells everything," Seventh and Orange streets. au1-1t*

TO AUTOMOBILE OWNERS—This offer will stand good until Saturday at noon. One puncture or blow-out in inner tube repaired free, as a sample of our new vulcanizer work. Send them in or 'phone 1408, and I will send for them. Corner 8th and Princess; Baker's Garage. au1-2t

FOR SALE, AT A BARGAIN, large tract of land on Sound. Address "Land," care Star. au1-1t*

WE CAN FURNISH car lots of dimension timber, pine boards, or anything in building material. Loris Lumber Co., Loris, S. C. au1,4-2t*

LOST—Pair of lady's gold eye glasses in black case; suitable reward if left at 216 North Second street. au1-1t

EXCURSION and Big Dance at Carolina Beach Friday, Aug. 2, 1912. Music by Secizi Orchestra. Boat Wilmington leaves 9 A. M., 2:30 and 7:30 P. M. Fare, 25 cents. au1-1t

C. L. VANN, Public Accountant and Auditor, of Columbia, is in the city for few days, and can be reached by calling 'phone 366. jy1-1t*

SPECIAL TODAY—)Kingan's boneless bacon, 20c. lb.; 12-lb. sack Gold Medal flour, 45c.; Swift Premium hams, 18c. lb.; Picnic hams, 12 1-2c. lb. 'Phone 853. C. H. Bornemann, Seventh and Orange streets. au1-1t*

FOR RENT—Room 501 Southern Building. Large, light ooffice. Cheap rent, if taken at once. Fidelity Investment & Development Co., 14 Princess street. jy31-5t

COLLECTOR AND SALESMAN wanted. Apply to A. D. Rich Co., Wilmington, N. C. jy31-2t

WANTED — Thoroughly reliable party to estimate and buy standing timber. State where employed for past five years, references and salary expeced, first letter. "Timber Mall," care Star. jy31-6t*

WANTED—Salesman to sell lubricating oils, house and barn paints and specialties. Good live wire can earn big money. Champion Refining Co., Cleveland, Ohio. jy28-4t*

IRON STEPS — Wanted, pair second-hand iron steps, ten or more feet. Address, giving price, location and condition, "Steps," care Star, City. jy28-3t

WANTED—Board at Wrightsville Beach for young couple, infant and nurse for two weeks the latter part of August. Address, giving full particulars as to location, price and conveniences, "Vacation," care Star. jy30-3t

SEE OUR SUPPLY today. We have the variety and quality. All kinds of fresh meats, fruits, etc. New peaches, pineapples, figs picked every morning. Boiled ham, chipped beef. Nice breakfast bacon. Very best of butter, one pound prints. Palace Market. 'Phone 72. jy30-tf

FOR NICE Cooked meats, cheese, coffee, tea, butter and a full line of fancy groceries, stop at B. May's Delicatessen. Satisfaction guaranteed. 'Phone 1322. jy28-tf

BUICK AND PALMER SINGER Automobiles, now at Queen City Cycle Co. je2-tf

FANCY GRAPES today. We have on sale today nice Concord and Delaware grapes. Also fresh sugar figs picked every morning. Full line of fresh fruits and vegetables. Fancy fresh meats on hand all the time. Try us once. Palace Market. 'Phone 72. jy24-tf

THE GILBERT HOUSE — Combines home comforts with hotel conveniences. Front and Princess streets, junction of all cars. Electric lights and hot water. Table equals the best, and rates reasonable. Transient, $1.25 to $1.50 per day. Rates to regular and table boarders. jy21-1mo

CHIROPODIST—At Ellis' Barber Shop, 109 Princess street. Positively removes corns without pain. All foot troubles treated. Ladies wishing my services can leave word at shop. I go out to homes to wait on them. W. T. Breeden. jy11-1mo

FOR SALE—Rough and dressed pine and cypress boards, floorings, ceiling, weatherboarding and laths. Reasonable prices; quick delivery. 'Phone 538. Camp Manufacturing Co. my30-tu,th,sa-30t*

WAKE UP! Spread out! Advertise! Multigraph imitation typewritten circulars; cheap as printing; better results. All classes typewriting and notary work. Harriss' Typewriting and Advertising Co., 114 Princess street; 'phone 708. del-tu,su,th-tf

WANT TO BUY 200,000 feet long leaf or good rosemary pine logs from 20 to 32 feet long, delivered at Wilmington, in rafts, for cash. Northrop Lumber & Export Co. jy18-tf

COLONIAL INN—Under new management. European plan. Luncheon daily from 12:30 to 3, fifty cents. jy11-tf

BARGAINS in a fine line of Trunks, Suit Cases and Hand Bags. Also in all kinds of unredeemed pledges. Save money and see Uncle Charles, 16 S. Front street. ja3-tf

FOR SALE at a bargain, one five-passenger Mitchell touring car in first class condition. Original cost, $2,000. Address "Automobile," care Morning Star. je19-tf

Diamonds

Watches

Silverware

Cut Glass

A. O. SCHUSTER

JEWELER,

104 North Front Street.

ORIENT LODGE, NO. 9,
A. F. & A. M.,
Regular Monthly Communication this (Thursday) evening, at 8:30 o'clock.
A full attendance is desired, and visiting brethren will be welcomed.
By order of the W. M.
jy31-1t C. C. BROWN, Sec'y.

"THE LANDING OF COLUMBUS."

Mammoth 3-Reel Production at the Bijou Today Only.

We Pay You to Save

IF YOU WILL NOTICE

how the small amounts you spend count up at the end of the week or month you will appreciate an account in our Savings Department. By merely saving a part of this even small expenditure you can have an account with us.

Start with as little as a dollar, if you like, add to it as often as possible—have money in the bank.

4% Paid.

The American National Bank

——of Wilmington.——

DAVID'S

Ho! For Fall!

Advance Orders for Fall Suits and Overcoats, delivered When You Want Them.

A Special Representative of Smith, Gray & Co. will be with us **Friday** and **Saturday,** August 2nd and 3rd, to take orders for Fall and Winter Clothes.

This is your opportunity to see greatest line of Tailoring in this country—even if you don't place an order it will do you good to look over this grand assortment of Foreign and Domestic Woolens.

For several seasons past we have been giving our customers the most satisfactory results with Smith, Gray & Co.'s Fifth Avenue Tailored Clothes.

Fit, Style and Workmanship Guaranteed by us, or no sale.

Attractive reductions on all Spring and Summer Clothing.

THE A. DAVID COMPANY

——MEN'S OUTFITTERS——

Friday, August 2nd, 1912

Your money deposited with this bank will draw Interest from Aug. 1, and will be credited with 4 months Interest on Dec. 1. And Compounded Every Three months thereafter.

Begin Saving Today.

The Atlantic Trust and Banking Company

——This Bank Will Help You Save.——

Just Received New Stock

Globe-Wernicke Bookcases, Wood and Steel Filing Devices, Office Desks, Chairs, etc.

We Also Have a Large Stock

of Dictaphones, Rebuilt Typewriters, Mimeographs and Office Supplies.

"Everything for the Office"

Mail orders given prompt attention. Write for information, catalogues, prices, terms, etc.

C. W. YATES & CO.

PHONE 69.

Robin Hood Gun Shells

564 Cases Robinhood Gun Shells.
417 Bales Timothy Hay.
316 Bags Ship Stuff.
217 Bags Wheat Bran.
219 Cases Sardines.
111 Cases Kippered Herring
57 Cases Tall Canned Herring.
81 Bbls. Large Mullets.
28 Bbls. Fancy Molasses.
61 Kegs Fancy Molasses.
37 Bbls. S. H. Molasses.
29 Bbls. Porto Rico Molasses.

W. B. Cooper Co.

Special Prices

Special Prices on the following—
100 Bbls. Large Mullets.
200 Bbls. Medium Mullets.
100 Bbls. Small Mullets.
200 Boxes Smoked Herring.
40 Boxes Cod Fish.
200 Cases Salmon.
200 Cases Sardines.
50 Cases Herring Roe.
100 Cases Oysters.
500 Bbls. Fancy Patent Flour.
400 Sacks Broken Rice.
400 Sacks Head Rice
75 Bbls. Fancy Molasses.
50 Bbls. N. O. Molasses.

We also carry a full line of Cakes, Candies, Snuff, Tobacco, etc., all of which will be sold on a close margin.

J. W. BROOKS

Wholesale Grocer,
WILMINGTON, N. C.